

By Phat

JUNE—This is the time of the year when people run around quoting: "What is so rare as a day in June?" . . . And Mrs. Bertha Carter, Chamber of Commerce secretary's secretary, says that if I don't make some favorable comment on the rare brand of weather Palm Springs has been enjoying for the past few days, I need never bump both sides of the narrow C. of C. door again . . . Is June the month of marriages because it rhymes with "moon" or with "loon"?

**ANSWERED**—Once when quite young and trying to gain a grammar school education, I was detained long after the rest had left school because I answered the poet's question as to what is so rare as a day in June by writing in the margin of the book: "A Chinaman with whiskers." I never found out whether the punishment was for defacing the book or because I erred in anthropology (Another example of Sun service—six-bit words in a two-bit column) . . . After July 1, manufacture of luggage is going to be restricted. That's one smart ruling, at least. We can't travel anyway.

**GOING UP**—In June, 1940, one million persons were on the federal payroll. In November, 1942, there were 2,750,101. It is estimated that there are now 2,970,000 drawing U. S. pay checks and that by June, next year, there'll be 3,572,000 feeding at the public trough . . . This is noise abatement week. War workers are on the job 24 hours a day and many of them have to get their sleep while the rest of us are up and about. So this year, noise abatement week is of special importance. This is respectfully referred to as auto horn tooters. Too many motorists do not know that the state traffic code prohibits horn-sounding except as an emergency warning.

**NOTHING NEW**—So you think travel and warfare by air is relatively new. Not so. In 1784 Ben Franklin, commenting on balloon ascensions, then the rage in Paris, wrote: "Five thousand balloons, capable of raising two men each, could not cost more than five ships of the line; and where is the prince who can so afford to cover his country with troops for its defense so that ten thousand men descending from the clouds might not in many places do an infinite deal of mischief before a force could be brought together to repel them." . . . And George Washington wrote to a friend in Paris: " . . . our friends in Paris, in a little time, will be flying through the air, instead of plowing through the ocean, to come to" (Continued on Page Eight)

## Hicks and Sanborn Transferred West; Visit Palm Springs

Milton Hicks, widely known Villager, noted golfer and formerly of the Palm Springs Builders' Supply company, and Gerald K. Sanborn, city engineer, both now in the U. S. Navy in the Seabees, arrived in Palm Springs Wednesday on a 10-day leave from their outfit.

Sanborn is now a chief petty officer and Hicks but one step away from that rating.

Both have been training at Camp Peary, Williamsburg, Va., since entering the navy, and were transferred to Hueneme, on the west coast, near Ventura, last week.

Mr. Sanborn returned to Riverside last night to spend the rest of his leave with his family, making their home there.

## Mrs. McCarn Will Remain as Acting Manager of City

Mrs. Louise McCarn, acting city manager during the leave of absence granted Arthur E. Bailey while the latter was with the U. S. Marine Corps, is again serving in that capacity following the resignation of Mr. Bailey, effective June 1.

City council Wednesday night voted to appoint Mrs. McCarn to the post for an indefinite period. Mrs. McCarn was first appointed acting city manager last September when Mr. Bailey was called into active service. Her appointment actually was never terminated even upon Mr. Bailey's return from service but council, on advice of City Attorney Roy Colegate, made her position official by the re-appointment "until further action by the council."

Mrs. McCarn is also acting city clerk.



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## Cutler Pool Offered For Summer Use

Experiment to Be Tried During Next 3 Months

City Councilman Frank Cutler Wednesday night offered the use of the pool at his property, 348 Merito Place, for use as a civilian recreation project, under supervision of the recreation commission, of which he is a member, and supported by the city, under certain conditions.

The offer was made to conduct an interesting experiment of the use of a private pool for public purposes in an effort to convince other pool owners that such use would not result in damage to property if adequate supervision is provided and discipline maintained.

### MEETS REQUIREMENTS

The Cutler pool is fully equipped with chlorinators and other devices which keep it rigidly to state health requirements. A few other private pools are thus equipped and in coming seasons, or until the city can provide its own public plunge, it is hoped to interest more owners to donate their pools during summer months while they are gone.

At Wednesday night's council meeting, Mr. Cutler explained that the cost of operation, to include a capable supervisor and an assistant and other items to meet state standards, would be borne by the city but that experience of previous years indicated that a nominal fee for use of the plunge would almost meet this expense.

### HIGH DAILY AVERAGE

Last year an average of 60 persons used pools donated for the summer, each day, he said.

Mr. Cutler said that the pool will be kept to the state requirement as to chlorine content and that the rapid change of water through filters made it safe despite the fact that it would be used by a large number of people.

### RULES FORMULATED

The Recreation commission regulations for the use of the pool in (Continued on Page Eight)

## STATE RATIONING CHIEF IS VISITOR AT VILLAGE OFFICE

Paul Barksdale d'Orr, state rationing chief, and William Parre, OPA official, dropped in on the Palm Springs office of the war price and rationing board Tuesday of this week while on a tour of southland board offices, remaining over night in Palm Springs, guests at the Colonial House.

In the absence of William A. Lippman, head of the local board, out of town on business, the visiting officials discussed affairs of the local office with Mrs. Louise McCarn, acting city manager, Councilman Eugene E. Theriault, who is also a member of the board, and Lloyd Simon, another member of the board.

### HOLDS OUT HOPE

The plight of the local board, whose voluntary workers are dwindling because many winter residents who offered their services, have left for the summer, was brought to Mr. d'Orr's attention.

He said that the personnel department was no longer under his supervision as he was devoting his entire time to the big problem of rationing. He referred the board to Fred Yerger, in charge of personnel for OPA. He did say, however, that there might be a chance soon that more paid workers could be added.

### PRAISES OFFICE

Mr. d'Orr was pleased with the conduct of the local office and said its affairs were in excellent shape.

After his departure Wednesday morning, the rationing chief planned to visit local offices in Banning and Beaumont before returning to Riverside where he had spent Monday.

## Earl Gray Donates Cruiser and Self To Patrol Service

Earl Gray, proprietor of the Royal Palms Hotel, is in the navy now—and has been for a month. He enlisted in the Coast Guard in May and is now patrolling the coast in his powerful 40-foot twin-screw cruiser, the "Ro-Mari."

Gray donated the cruiser, well known to Villagers, to the Coast Guard for the duration and also donated his own services. For this he was given an officer's rating.

With Frank Dine, who was in the radio business in Palm Springs several years ago, he takes his turn on alternate days, of piloting the cruiser along the coast on patrol duty.

The "Ro-Mari" was named after Gray's two children.

## Death Calls Dr. G. H. Poos

Rites Wednesday For Prominent Village Physician

Dr. Grover H. Poos, prominent local medical man, succumbed Saturday at the Coachella Valley hospital in Indio after a long illness, at the age of 58 years. An eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, Dr. Poos had devoted more than a quarter century to caring for the ailments of his fellow men and his death brought sadness to a wide circle of friends here and in St. Louis where he practiced before coming to Palm Springs.

Dr. Poos came to California from St. Louis four years ago for his health, coming to the Village.

### ILL ALMOST YEAR

He rapidly gained a wide clientele and all of his patients became his firm friends. Last July his health began to fail but he maintained regular office hours and denied no one treatment up to four weeks before his passing.

He was a 32nd degree Mason and a Shriner, a charter member of the Palm Springs Rotary club, a member of the Chamber of Commerce and so long as his health permitted, vitally interested in local civic affairs.

Medically, Dr. Poos gained many honors. He was a member of the American Academy of Oph. and Opo-Larynx, of the American College of Surgeons of the California Medical association, of the Southern Medical society and of the American Medical association.

### UNITED WEDNESDAY

He was an instructor in ophthalmology at Washington University in St. Louis for a number of years and practiced in St. Louis for 18 years before coming to Palm Springs.

Dr. Poos is survived by his widow, Mrs. Georgiana Poos, one son, Lt. Cmdr. Robert S. Poos, USN medical service, and a daughter, Mrs. Louise James Anderson of Palm Springs.

Last rites were said for Dr. Poos at the family residence here, 379 Chino drive, Wednesday, with the Rev. Robert M. Hogarth, vicar of St. Paul's in the Desert, Episcopal church, in charge. Interment was in Forest Lawn cemetery, Los Angeles, after commitment services read by Rev. Hogarth at the Little Church of the Flowers.

## Red Cross Board Meets to Map Plans And Prepare for Summer Months Here

Plans for the summer months, changes in committee chairmen to replace those leaving for the summer and other important items came before the Palm Springs chapter of the American Red Cross, in a directors' meeting Wednesday at local headquarters.

Philip L. Boyd, chairman, presided and others present were Mrs. Guy Pinney, Mrs. Frank Cutler, Mrs. Philip Boyd, Mrs. Armand Turonnet, Mrs. Donald Lockett, Mrs. Charles Bosworth, Mrs. P. A. Staley, Frank Cutler and Charles Henderson. Guests were Mrs. Maurice Libott, Mrs. Thomas Ward, Mrs. Marshall Urst and Mrs. N. A. Sellinger.

Mrs. Gordon Nicholson was appointed chairman of the staff as-

## Soldier Held After Crash Wrecks Auto

Chase Through Brush Ends in Arrest of Driver

As result of a spectacular crash, 500 yards south of the Tahquitz bridge on Palm Canyon drive, and a chase through the adjacent brush, a soldier, Robert A. Black of Camp Young, is in the hands of military authorities today while charges of auto theft were being investigated.

The crash, followed by the chase, occurred shortly before midnight last Sunday.

### FIND BATTERED CAR

According to the report, filed by Officer Orest Johnson, who, with Officer James Mason investigated, an Indian appeared at the police station at 11:55 p. m. Monday and reported that an automobile had run into a telephone pole south of the bridge. The officers at once proceeded to the scene to investigate.

The battered automobile was found 500 yards south of the bridge and 200 yards east of the highway. While Officers Johnson and Mason were investigating, Sgt. Ray Wilson and Officer Ralph Sturkie of the local force appeared.

### SEE ACCIDENT

They told the investigating officers that Lt. John C. Naylor of the air base had brought Black to the police station, having caught him in the brush shortly after the crash.

Lt. Naylor said that he, with six other soldiers, was proceeding along the drive in a truck, when they heard and saw the crash ahead of them and saw a soldier running away. Leaving four men to investigate the wrecked car and to render first aid, if needed, Lt. Naylor and two men started in pursuit of the fleeing driver.

### CHASE DRIVER

They caught him hiding in the brush and brought him to the local police station where he was turned over to military police.

In the meantime, Officer Sturkie had remembered seeing the car parked before a local hotel. The proprietor was questioned and identified the automobile as the property of Lt. D. V. Brand, Jr., a guest at the hotel, who was out of town.

Black was unhurt in the wreck but the car was badly damaged.

## Property Owners, Leaving City, Asked To Inform Police

Chief of Police Lyle J. Sanard today urged winter residents who are now leaving the city to call at the police station and fill out a form, designed for the protection of their property.

The forms list the name, the summer home of the property holders, their telephone number and the name of the gardener or caretaker left in charge.

Police make regular tours of inspection around vacant houses, the chief explained, and if anything is found wrong, the property owner, if he fills out the form, can be notified at once.

## Service Clubs Seek Most Valuable Man Or Woman in Village

What man—or woman, for that matter—has done the most for Palm Springs during the present war crisis?

The Service clubs of Palm Springs—Rotarians and Lions—want to know and so they have started a hunt for that man—or woman.

In a letter to The Desert Sun this week, Carl G. Lykken, president of the Rotary club, outlined the plan. Villagers are asked to write to the Sun, listing the person they think has done the most for the Village in the emergency. The Service clubs will then look over the letters and pick the winner.

### MR. LYKKEN'S LETTER

Mr. Lykken's letter follows: Palm Springs, June 1, 1943. Editor, The Desert Sun:

We are at present engaged in a great war. History tells us that a great deal of good comes out of a war. It has a tendency to mold hearts and character, it tends to self sacrifice, service to our fellowmen, in fact, service above self.

In this war Palm Springs is no exception. We have in Palm Springs men and women who have shown every evidence of this spirit of service to humanity and to its community.

### SHOW APPRECIATION

It has been suggested; and indeed we should, show our appreciation of these men and women. To sponsor this idea the Rotary club and the Lions club invite the public; this means you: to send in a short letter to your local newspaper stating who in your opinion has given the greatest service to our community this season.

Shakespeare said, or maybe it was some other wise man, "A little praise doeth the heart good and expands it to greater effort!" So extol somewhat and let your opinions soar.

### TO DECIDE WINNER

After sufficient letters have been published in your local newspaper, the Lions club and Rotary club will then properly digest the opinions of the public and announce that man or woman who is most outstanding in our community in point of unselfish and devoted service.

No holds are barred in this contest, beauty though appreciated is not stressed, remember Abraham Lincoln never took a prize in a beauty contest.

Let us hear from you through your local newspaper.

CARL G. LYKKEN, President Rotary Club.

## Authorities Study Mysterious Knife Attack on Soldier

Palm Springs police and military authorities this week-end were piecing together fragmentary evidence in an effort to solve the mysterious attack on Howard Blanton, a soldier connected with a local post, who was found nude and suffering from numerous knife wounds, on the porch of a home in the northeast part of town early the morning of June 1.

Chief of Police Lyle J. Sanard and army authorities were awaiting the recovery of Blanton so that he could be questioned more fully on the attack.

### IN SERIOUS CONDITION

Blanton is reported in a serious condition as result of knife wounds in his chest and his back. So far he has been incoherent and a connected story of the attack has been impossible to obtain.

At the hospital it was reported that his condition was grave.

### SUSPECTS QUESTIONED

Residents of the district, who heard his groans at 12:30 a. m. on Tuesday morning, called authorities and he was removed to the hospital.

Several suspects have been questioned but the investigation is marking time pending Blanton's sufficient recovery to describe what happened to him.

## USO's Clever Show Almost Ruined by A Duck Named Moe

BY GAIL SOLLENDER

We did our best to compete—handed out prizes like it was Christmas and stuffed the lads and lassies with enough punch, cake, candy, popcorn to choke a wide-eyed kid. No sale! Moe stole the show right from under our eyes! That darned little old duckling, petted, pampered mascot of the 312th Bombing Group, made the Sun and Sand Caravan look mighty sick last Friday night.

It all started when we invited the enlisted men of the 312th Bombing Group and the Indio USO girls to the Little Red School House, in normal times the Francis Stevens School. There we were trying to take them back to what, in primer days, we always thought school should be like and Moe steps in to run competition!

Every time we'd get a crazy game lined up in which the contestants would look kind of silly, but draw laughs from the crowd, (Continued on Page Five)

## USO Leaders Lay Plans For Summer Days

Plans for formulating the summer hostess program of the local USO club were made last Monday when Mrs. Clemna Granger, Mrs. Fred I. Gilbert, Mrs. Thomas H. Holland, Mrs. E. W. Jones and Mrs. Maurice H. Libott met with Mrs. Marguerite Hogue, present director of the USO, and Mrs. James H. O'Reilly, past director.

Appointed as hostess of the day for a respective day of the week, these five women will be responsible for all hostesses on every shift under them, from one in the afternoon until ten at night.

### DUTIES OUTLINED

It will be the duty of each hostess of the day to see that enough women are on hand at all times, and to guide them in any necessary training. The weekends will be handled by the professional staff plus additional hostesses.

Miss Marjorie Schanderl, who so efficiently served as chairman of hostess, resigned because illness in her family called her away. Her going was deeply regretted.

With the seasonal exodus of many Palm Springs women who have been giving definite hours to the club, the USO is now working with army wives and summer residents to build up a substantial group of hostesses who will continue working throughout the summer months.

### AIDES SOUGHT

With the help of Mrs. Hogue and Mrs. O'Reilly, a concrete plan of operation was drawn up and will be effective immediately. The next meeting of the group will take place next week. All local women desiring further information regarding hostess work at the USO are urged to contact either Mrs. Hogue or one of the above ladies.

## Don't Forget That Ration Book No. 3! Deadline Thursday

This is a reminder that applications for ration book number 3 must be filled out and returned by June 10. No ration books will be issued on applications received after that date.

## Find Body Of Woman In Canyon

Hotel Worker Found by Children Playing Along Creek

Although the verdict of a coroner's jury which heard details of the finding of the body of a woman, identified as Edith M. King, in Tahquitz canyon late Sunday held that her death was probably due to natural causes, investigation in the case continued today.

The body of the woman, who had been dead four or five days, was found late Sunday afternoon along Tahquitz creek about 300 yards west of the Desert Forge which is on South Palm Canyon drive.

### FOUND BY CHILDREN

Three little girls, playing along the creek, stumbled on the body. They were Kay and Jeanne Fenne and a little playmate, Wanda Lieman, of Pico, who was visiting them. The girls rushed at once to inform G. Fenne, father of Kay and Jeanne, who in turn notified police.

Chief Lyle J. Sanard and Sgt. Ray Wilson went at once to the scene to investigate after notifying Coroner Ben White.

Two social security cards and two ration books were found. One of the social security cards and the rationing books bore the name of Edith M. King.

### WORKED AT HOTEL

Identity was further established when papers indicated she had worked at the Desert Inn and a friend there, Charlotte Nyquist, said the belongings found by the body indicated it was that of Mrs. King.

Date of the death was believed established as May 25. A newspaper bearing that date was found under the body. She was also seen in the bank here on that day.

### LEFT HERE MAY 11

Mrs. King left here via bus for Los Angeles on May 11, the day after the hotel, where she was employed in room service and as a telephone operator, closed for the season. She was seen in Los Angeles on May 15 and then returned to Palm Springs for she was seen here again on May 25 by some friends who talked with her.

That was the last time she was seen alive.

### TRACE KEYS

In her purse were found two keys, believed to belong to a local rooming house or hotel.

Police Chief Sanard has been unable to locate the rooming house and asks that any hotel keeper or rooming house proprietor who remembers Mrs. King as a guest notify him, in a move to further check on her movements after her return here.

### HERE SIX MONTHS

Mrs. King came here last December and was employed at the Inn until May when it closed. She is believed to come here from San (Continued on page Four)

## Don't Wait Until Last Minute, Plea Of Rationing Board

Because of the approach of the summer season and the resultant dwindling of volunteer workers at the office of the Palm Springs War Price and Rationing board, William A. Lippman, chairman of the board, sounded an appeal today to motorists of the Village and to operators of trucks, for co-operation.

"Don't wait until the day before or the day that your supplemental gasoline rations expire," he said. "Come in a week or ten days before and file your application. That will give the board time to act upon them, to service them and to attend to all of the details."

"With so many people leaving the Village, our staff of workers is dwindling and we need all of (Continued on Page Eight)



# Society

## Winter Residents Plight Troth at Monte Vista Court

Fay L. Ambler and Miss Emma S. Burke were united in marriage at the home of the bride's sister, Freda M. Miller, Monte Vista court, on Memorial Day with Dr. J. R. Macartney, pastor of the Community Church officiating.

The bride is well known in Palm Springs, having visited her sister, Mrs. Miller, several seasons. Mrs. Miller has been a Villager for 22 years, owning and operating the Monte Vista court all of that time.

Mr. Ambler spent the winter season here and formerly lived in Los Angeles. Prior to going to Los Angeles, he was in the contracting business in and around Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambler will spend the summer in Banning but are very much in love with Palm Springs and will return here in the fall.

Mrs. Emma Hathaway, well known winter resident of the Village, has returned to Manitou Springs, Colorado, to make her home for the summer.

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## FOUR HUNDRED MEN FROM DESERT POSTS ENJOY DANCE AT USO HOSPITALITY HOUSE

Some 400 men of the desert enjoyed the second open dance sponsored by the Sun and Sand Caravan last Saturday night at the Palm Springs USO Club which was the scene of a Memorial Day Celebration. Riverside USO girls, chaperoned by Mrs. Maude Clark, were invited as hostesses for the occasion.

Pfc. Valerian Blotinski and Cpl. Edward Kloter of the 508th Ordinance were responsible for the red, white and blue decorations in the club house and the flowers used so abundantly both inside and out were donated by Mrs. W. B. Malouf. Music was provided by the Torney General Hospital Band.

### SOLOIST IS FEATURE

Featured event of the evening was the singing of Elynor Clark, Riverside girl who has auditioned for the San Carlos Opera Company and is at present continuing her voice study. The second half of the program was highlighted by a dance contest conducted by Pfc. Chet Summers of Torney General Hospital.

Top jitterbugs were Julie Badger of Riverside and Pvt. Joe Sealone of the 22nd General Hospital. Waltz winners were Judy Kerdrdon, also of Riverside, and Sgt. J. H. Stevens of Torney General Hospital.

### EVENING'S HOSTESSES

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Marguerite Van Derwerker, head of the Sun and Sand Caravan, Mrs. Marguerite Hogue, temporary national director of the USO, Mrs. James H. O'Reilly, past director of the USO, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Cutler, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Holland, Col. and Mrs. Fred I. Gilbert, Major and Mrs. F. W. Jones, Mrs. Marjorie Schanderl, Mrs. Clema Granger, Mrs. Susie Jonas, Mrs. Maurice Libott, Mrs. Jessica Gilmour, Mrs. Kay Amsbaugh, Mrs. Ann Sapadin, Mrs. Lillie Beel, Miss Bernice Stepp and Miss Carolyn Jackson.

## WAAC Committee Will Discuss Plans Every Wednesday

It was announced this week by the WAAC civilian recruiting committee, recently formed here, that meetings will be held every Wednesday at the Palm Springs Tennis Club to discuss plans and activities.

All interested or any seeking information on recruiting, are invited to attend.

Further information may be obtained by telephoning Mrs. Grace Lewis Miller at 5931 or Mrs. Charles Henderson at 3972.

## Mrs. Walton Walker Says She'll Be In Desert Area Again

Mrs. Walton D. Walker, wife of General Walker, and well known in Palm Springs and who spent much time here while her husband was in charge of Desert Training Center operations, is coming back to the desert. She likes it.

In a letter to a friend in India she wrote: "There is no place like the good old desert as far as I am concerned. Someday I am coming back."

General Walker is now overseas and Mrs. Walker is in the east. While in the desert area she was active in Red Cross and other welfare work connected with the army.

## New Hampshire Girl To Wed Officer Here

Second Lieut. John G. Irving of Palm Springs and Miss Irene Meacham of New Hampshire will become man and wife Sunday morning at a ceremony immediately after the morning church service at the Community Church.

Dr. J. R. Macartney, pastor, will officiate.

The bride is expected in Palm Springs from her New England home tomorrow.

## Mrs. Lillian Kann Visitor in Village

Mrs. Lillian Kann was a visitor in the Village for a few days en route from her home in Youngstown, Ohio, to Los Angeles.

The Kann home here has been rented for the season.

Following a visit in Los Angeles, she will return to Ohio to join her husband, J. Stuart Kann.

YELLOW CABS — PHONE 4444 Calif.

## Popular Local Girl Bride of Marine At Beverly Hills

In what was termed one of the most beautiful weddings of the season in Beverly Hills, Miss Helen Jeannette Stephens of Palm Springs became the bride of Sgt. Joel Lee Barry of the United States Marines, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wilson of Sherman Oaks.

The ceremony was performed in the drawing room of the home of Mazor Walton, the former Joe E. Brown estate, by Dr. Edward J. Dingle, of the Holy Trinity Church of Los Angeles.

White flowers were banked in a solid floral blanket against the mantle and flanked by cathedral candles.

### STUNNING GOWN

The bride wore a stunning gown of dusty rose maline with many bouffant overskirts flowing from the fitted bodice. Her ivory veil, more than a century old, was of fine hand-made Portuguese lace and worn mantilla-style so that it cascaded in rich folds to the hem of her skirt. She carried white orchids and gardenias showered with Cecil Brunners and stephanotis.

Mrs. Kenneth Stephens of Glendale was matron of honor in ice blue slipper satin with a fan-shaped bouquet of yellow baby glads. Miss Darlene Mullins, junior bridesmaid, was in yellow mouseline de soie with a nosegay of blue delphinium. Sgt. Joseph LaPerna attended the bridegroom.

### TO SANTA BARBARA

In the banquet room where a champagne supper was served, the bride's table, centered with an elaborate wedding cake, was banked with Mystery gardenias and lighted with candles. Following the reception the couple left for Santa Barbara where they are spending a brief honeymoon before the bridegroom returns to his base.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Walter Stephens of Los Angeles and studied designing abroad for several years, graduating from the Fischer Institute at Montreaux, Switzerland. She is co-owner here of "Helene's."

Sgt. Barry has been stationed the past 16 months at Dutch Harbor, Alaska.

## Popular Hostess of Winter Season Will Leave on Long Tour

Mrs. Ona Brown, who was one of the Village's most popular hostesses during the season just closed, left this week-end on an extended vacation which will take her to New York and Washington, D. C., before her return to the Village in the fall.

During the early part of the summer Mrs. Brown will be the house guest of Mrs. Lionel Dupree at her ranch in North Hollywood valley; of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Frost, Jr. at their ranch in Van Nuys; Mr. and Mrs. Allen Murphy of Long Beach; Captain and Mrs. Robert Kenston of Lido Isle and Miss Eleanor Rossi, daughter of the mayor of San Francisco, at that city.

## Lt. Homer Cox Jr. And Miss Berry Wed

Dr. J. R. Macartney, pastor of the Community Church, officiated at a midnight wedding this week at the church when Lt. Homer L. Cox, Jr., of the 21st Ferrying Group and Miss Mary Elizabeth Berry of Long Beach exchanged marriage vows.

Attending the bridal couple were Arthur B. Disney and Miss Louise Fantz, both of Long Beach. Relatives and close friends of the couple witnessed the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Koch, well known Villagers, are spending the summer months in the Sequoia National park, making their headquarters at Three Rivers,

## Oklahoma Girl Is Bride of Officer At Ceremony Here

Miss Mary Virginia Six became the bride of Lieut. George Frank Brown at the Community Church last Sunday morning at the conclusion of the morning ceremony.

Dr. J. A. Macartney, pastor of the church, read the vows at the double ring ceremony.

The bride arrived during the week from Stillwater, Oklahoma, accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray L. Six. Lt. Brown is stationed at Camp Young.

The attractive bride wore a white satin gown with tulle veil.

Mrs. Violet Fowler sang "I Love You Truly" and Mrs. Payne presided at the organ during the ceremony.

## Regimental Dance Planned Tomorrow At the Tennis Club

Officers of the 40th Armored Regiment are anticipating a gala evening tomorrow night at the Palm Springs Tennis Club when they will rally with their wives, for their regimental dance.

Arrangements for the event are in the hands of Lt. John Neilsen, special service officer, who has been active on the plans for the event for some time.

Music will be provided by the regiment's own 21-piece band which has made considerable name for itself in musical circles. Cpl. Ben Dunnford, who was formerly with the CBS at Winston-Salem, N. C., has written the arrangements for the band.

Col. Robert B. Wheeler is commanding officer of the 40th. Approximately 200 officers and their wives are expected.

## Feekings Will Run Huge Cafeteria for Douglas at Daggett

Because of his experience in feeding the multitudes, Gordon Feekings, owner of the popular Village Sandwich shop, now closed for the summer, and late of the U. S. army, will remain on the desert. But it will be a different desert.

Feekings was discharged from the army recently when he reached the age limit and planned to go into the Douglas Aircraft factory as a defense worker.

But when his application was passed on and it was discovered that he had successfully operated the Sandwich shop and also very successfully managed the officers' mess at the air base here, it was decided that his talents should not be wasted on the assembly line. When it was further discovered that he preferred the desert areas, they decided they had a job that was made to order for him.

As a result, Feekings will be employed at a large Douglas plant at Daggett, a few miles east of Barstow on the Mojave desert, where he will be in charge of a cafeteria which feeds a great number of defense workers daily.

He left for his new position yesterday.

### TEMPERATURES

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Ferry Strafers	2	2	.500
Ferry Officers	2	3	.400
737 San. Co.	1	3	.333
Torney Officers	1	4	.250
742 San. Co.	1	4	.250

### THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Monday night, June 7—742nd Sanitary Co. vs. Torney Officers; 737th Sanitary Co. vs. Torney Enlisted Men.

Thursday night, June 10—Ferrying Strafers vs. Ferrying Officers; 22nd General Hospital vs. Ferrying Night Flyers.

The Night Flyers of the 21st Ferrying Group and the Enlisted Men of Torney General Hospital continue to batter their way undefeated in the Palm Springs Army Soft-Ball league as it goes into its fifth week of play.

Torney's Enlisted Men kept their slate clean by beating their Officers, 7 to 5, this week, which also made it the second setback of the week for the commissioned medics. Earlier they lost to the Ferrying Strafers, 12 to 7.

The Night Flyers trounced the 742nd Sanitary Co. by a 24 to 1 count, which made only one run Sgt. Glenn Cartwright, Flyer pitcher, has allowed in his last three starts on the rubber.

The 742nd Sanitary figured in another loss during the week in a game which set several records as the Ferrying Officers won, 25 to 15, in a wild tussle. Trailing by 14 to 7, the Ferrying Officers went into their half of the fifth inning and scored 18 times. Lt. Mike Frankovich hit two home runs in the inning, eight men scored two runs each in the canto and Lt. Mike Sunderland went to bat three times in the frame.

## Mr. and Mrs. Quigley Vacation in Mountains

Mr. and Mrs. George Quigley, caretaker at the Community church, have been vacationing at Idyllwild for the past two weeks.

In Mr. Quigley's absence, Mrs. Violet Fowler and Miss Violet Fraser are in charge of the church premises.

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WEDNESDAY  
THURSDAY



Other travelers should confine their essential trips to these three days only.

There are only so many buses and bus seats. Practically every seat is working day and night to carry vital war traffic and other passengers whose travel is essential to the nation's welfare.

Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays and Mondays are the busiest. On these days there is little room on the buses for people whose travel isn't absolutely necessary.

Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays are the days on which we are better able to serve travelers whose business may not be directly connected with the war.

Even in mid-week, our frank advice is: If you can postpone or eliminate the journey, please do so.

And for those who must travel, we repeat three important suggestions, which, if followed, will aid the war effort by making conditions easier for all travelers.

### WARTIME TRAVEL SUGGESTIONS

1. Consult your local Greyhound agent well in advance so he can help you choose the least-crowded schedules.
2. Arrange trips whenever possible to go and return during mid-week rather than on week-ends.
3. Carry only the baggage that is absolutely necessary.

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## Village Lions See That Soldiers Get Chance in Water

Members of the Palm Springs Lions club are going to see to it that soldiers at Torney General Hospital are going to be able to go in swimming in the fine pool there without blushing.

A Red Cross Activities committee has been formed and already the club has purchased 60 bathing trunks for the men there. But more are needed and the committee asks cooperation of Villagers in seeing that they are supplied.

### SEEK FURNITURE

For the Ferrying base here, the committee is seeking chairs of all types, couches or davenports, all kinds of games such as chess, checkers, backgammon and so on. Any Villager who can supply any of these needs is urged to get in touch with any of the committeemen who are:

Joe Henderson, Palm Springs Bowling academy.

John DeVine, Devine's Market.

William Veith, U. S. Indian agent at the Indian Reservation office.

Merrill Crockett, at the Village Pharmacy.

Lloyd Simon, chairman.

### RESPONSE IS SPEEDY

At last week's Lions meeting, Philip L. Boyd, chairman of the Palm Springs branch of the county Red Cross chapter, outlined the needs of the Red Cross here, what it could do and what was needed through outside aid.

Mr. Simon appointed head of a committee by President Culver Nichols, immediately started a campaign for bathing trunks for the soldiers at the hospital and in a few minutes had a large sum.

One Rotarian from out of town who happened to be dining at the Del Tahquitz, where the Lions meet, overheard the plea and made a sizeable donation to the fund.

## Former City Police Chief in Ireland With Lockheed Co.

The Chamber of Commerce had better do something about this! "Palm Springs was never like this," wrote J. Lloyd Boller, former Village police chief, to his wife now with the bureau of identification at the county sheriff's office.

Boller was describing a spot "somewhere in Ireland" where he now is in connection with the Lockheed airplane company.

"Things are looking good here," he wrote.

He is signed up with the Lockheed corporation for the "duration" and six months.

Boller was with the county sheriff's investigation squad before coming to the Village to be chief of police. He later resigned to accept the Lockheed position.

### Tiare Tahiti Will Be Open All Summer

J. L. McAtee, proprietor of the Tiare Tahiti, one of the Village's smart gift shops, said this week that the popular store will remain open all summer.

Mr. McAtee has gone to Banning where he will rest up at the Southern Sierras sanitarium for the summer months.

The shop will be in the capable hands of Miss Virginia Hennes during his absence.

YELLOW CABS — PHONE 4444

YOU'RE IN THE ARMY NOW

By. Capt. Herc Ficklen



"Please, fella's, you're makin' it awful tough for me—Now I'll hafta figure out an income tax."

## Returned Villager Says Japs Roaming Streets at Will in Eastern Section

Gus Witt, proprietor of the Do-Nut shop at 314 North Palm Canyon drive, returned to the Village Monday after a six-week tour of the nation and re-opened his popular refreshment spot for the summer months.

Mrs. Witt, who left earlier for the east, returned with him and will go from here to Balboa to spend the summer months.

Mr. Witt found things different in the east, some conditions better, some worse. For instance, he said, in the eastern states motorists are observing the 35 mile speed limit to the letter. Very few exceed that speed whereas in the west, very few are observing it.

### STRICT ENFORCEMENT

Enforcement of the 35-mile rule is strict. Each day, while in Buffalo, the newspapers printed the names of motorists who had lost their ration books because of exceeding the 35-mile limit.

One of the amazing things, Mr. Witt said, was the liberty allowed the Japanese in the east and in the mountain area. In Salt Lake City, the streets were full of well-dressed Japanese who frequented the best hotels and cafes and were apparently living on the fat of the land.

Colleges were full of Japanese students while the American boys had been called out to go to war.

### VEGETABLES SCARCE

Mr. Witt said that the food situation in the east was bad. Vegetables were scarce, there was no lettuce, no potatoes. Prices for vegetables had soared to a high figure, 30 cents for one cucumber, 30 cents for one green pepper, 65 cents for cauliflower and so on, were common prices. The meat situation was not so bad.

Mr. Witt went east via the southern route and returned via the northern route, traveling by bus all of the way to New York and back. He and his wife visited Buffalo, Chicago, Detroit, Omaha, Salt Lake City and other points of interest.

Mr. Witt closed his shop here April 25 and re-opened it June 1.

## County Automobile Registration Off 2,494 Is Report

In the first three months of 1943, 32,343 automobiles were registered in Riverside county, the state department of vehicles announced this week. This was 2,494 less than the number registered in the first three months in 1942 and compares favorably to the state loss of 9.2 per cent, caused by automobile, gasoline and tire rationing.

The drop in registration will be reflected in allocation of registration fees, off 10.6 per cent in the state, and motor vehicle license fees, which are down 12.3 per cent in the state.

## Appropriation for Publicity Will be Made by Council

An ordinance appropriating \$500 for the Chamber of Commerce for use in publicity promoting Palm Springs was introduced at city council meeting Wednesday evening by Councilman Phillip L. Boyd. First reading was waived and the measure will be up for passage June 16.

The money will buy the Palm Springs Chamber of Commerce's share in the All-Year club's nationwide publicity campaign.

YELLOW CABS — PHONE 4444

## Miss Kerner Goes East on Vacation After Busy Season

Miss Blanch Rose Kerner, widely known Palm Springs music teacher with studios at 262 South Cahuilla road, left this week end for Cicero, Illinois, where she plans to spend considerable time visiting her convalescent mother, Mrs. Rusenna Kerner, a sister, Mrs. Edgar O. Dixon in Milwaukee, Wis., and a niece, Mrs. Norman H. Peterson in Parkridge, Ill.

On her return trip westward she will be accompanied by her nephew, William J. Dixon who has won a scholarship at California Institute of Technology and who will enter college July 1 at the age of 16 years.

### TO VISIT BERKELEY

En route west they plan to stop at Berkeley to visit Dr. Robert J. Kerner, Miss Kerner's brother, a professor at the University of California, for a few days, traveling via Denver, the Moffat tunnel and Salt Lake City.

Miss Kerner has just concluded a busy season here during which she trained a boys' and girls' choir at the Community church besides her activities in her studio. The choir, which took the place of the adult choir on Mother's Day, acquitted themselves with much credit.

### PRIZES AWARDED

Miss Kerner has been receiving many compliments for their work.

She announced that five prizes were awarded students for three qualifications: thoughtfulness, excellent application and good attendance. The prize winners were Marilyn Dutton, Lydia Boyd, Suzanne Watson, Eddie Knupp, Suzanne Oliver. The prizes were The Children's Own Book of Great Musicians and the title was John Sebastian Bach.

Miss Kerner, as a gesture of appreciation to the youngsters for their faithful work during the season, invited the choir and their guests to a picnic at Tahquitz Falls which proved a most enjoyable affair.

Refreshments were served at noon, the guests enjoying a wonderful time and terming it a memorable occasion.

## Recommendation of Director Sorum Is Adopted by Board

Upon recommendation of Ray Sorum, director of public works, city council Wednesday adopted a resolution authorizing the purchase of a skip-loader from the Smith-Booth-Usher company.

Council recently asked bids on the machine and the two submitted were so nearly alike that Mr. Sorum was authorized to go to Los Angeles to examine both loaders and report back to council his opinion as to which was best suited for the city.

Mr. Sorum's report was filed with council Wednesday night favoring the Smith-Booth-Usher product.

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The reason is—our war job!

Equipment, including dining cars, must be diverted constantly for military use. Troop trains and war freights often move over our lines on emergency schedules to which regular service must be adapted. The need for cars is so pressing that it is often impossible to take them out of service for renovation and overhaul.

We are short of cars, locomotives, manpower—but we're putting first things first and pushing the war trains through. After the war is won, S. P. hopes to make up to you for today's uncomfortable train travel. Meantime we suggest you follow this . . .

### Wartime Traveler's Guide

1. Unless your train trip is really essential please don't make it.
2. If you must travel, do so on Tuesdays or Wednesdays or Thursdays. Avoid week-ends—that's when our trains are most crowded.
3. Cancel space reservations promptly if your plans change. Train space is too precious nowadays to go unused.
4. Travel light—take with you on the train only baggage you'll need on the train. Check other baggage at least a day in advance.
5. Help stretch available train accommodations by buying just the space you really need—no more, no less. Share your bedroom, compartment or drawing room with a friend.
6. Eat before you board the train if possible. For many trains it may be well to bring your lunch or buy a box lunch (for lunch or any meal).
7. If you eat in the dining car, please remember other folks are waiting. No need to bolt your meal—but please don't linger over it.

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## What's Holding It Up?

The big question in the minds of leading Palm Springs citizens today is:

What is stalling the hand of Governor Earl Warren on the bill to create the Palm Springs Winter Park authority?

The measure—which would insure the realization of a 10-year vision here, the construction of the Tramway from Chino canyon to the San Jacinto wilderness area—has been on the desk of the governor for three weeks. It was passed by the assembly by a 11 to 1 margin and by the senate by a large majority.

But so far no word has been heard from the governor.

On June 9, which is next Wednesday, the statutory limit for signing measures passed at this last session of the legislature, falls. If the measure is not signed by then, it will suffer the fate of a pocket veto. Why?

The measure creating the Palm Springs Winter Park authority is a post-war measure. It is designed to provide employment which will be sorely needed after the war is concluded in victory. It will pave the way for the construction of a spectacular aerial tramway, which will whisk people from the floor of the desert to winter playgrounds, second to none in the nation. All Southern California will benefit by its construction. It will be the leading tourist attraction in a section replete with tourist attractions.

And now is the time plans for it should be started. When—and if—the governor signs the measure, preliminary plans can be mapped. There are many things to be done before actual construction is started. If the governor sees fit to heed the scores of appeals for the measure, these plans can be started now. Then as soon as the strife ends and peace returns, actual work can start.

Signature by the governor is merely a matter of preparedness. Assembly Bill 2001 is a postwar measure which should be enacted now so that all will be in readiness, when the world returns to sanity, to start action. Further delay would be a disaster—would mean months of marking precious time in providing jobs when jobs will be essential.

With the will of the people expressed in the large majorities rolled up in favor of the measure in assembly and state senate, with the flock of endorsements sent to Sacramento by scores of cities, civic bodies and others, why does the governor wait?

It isn't a special measure favoring Palm Springs. It's a proposition benefitting the entire state.

### RADIO RECEPTION

Wife: "I haven't been able to get a sound out of the wireless all day, John. I told you they'd cut us off if we didn't renew the license." — Cartoon caption in Punch.

In simplifying manufacture of hand tools for Victory Gardens, 324 types of forks have been cut to 76, styles of rakes have been reduced from 55 to 8, hoes from 362 to 39, and hand cultivators from 14 to 8.



TENSE—Paulette Goddard, a girl with a future, meets Ray Milland, a man with a past, in "The Crystal Ball," a new United Artists release opening Wednesday at the Plaza for a four-day run.

## "I Rise to Remark"

By CONGRESSMAN JOHN PHILLIPS

There is one simple way to increase production: give the producer enough money to produce without loss. The farmer has sons in North Africa too; and Guadalcanal, and flying over Berlin. The list of 80,000 or more casualties includes boys from the rural areas as well as boys from the cities. The farmer asks no wage increase; no 40-hour week; he runs his tractor and guides his plow; he drives his own strength to produce, and definitely not for profit alone. But he cannot produce at a loss; he already owes the bank, or at least one or more of the dozen governmental agencies today loaning money to farmers.

The costs of production will get production. A profit in a nation still presumably operating on the profit system, and not on some socialistic theory of governmental regulation, will increase production. Add to this the elimination of foolish and unnecessary forms, regulations, questionnaires, bureaus, and even throw in for good measure a few inspectors; give the farmer equipment and labor and seeds, and the farmer will surprise you.

In 1917 the food administrator went to the farmers and said, "We need food." In 1917 the basis of the food program was the producer. In 1942, we have annoyed, harrassed, badgered, bothered, directed, disturbed, embarrassed, encumbered, fettered, governed, guided, hampered, harrassed, harried, hindered, impeded, molested, ordered, perplexed, plagued, regulated, restrained, shackled, troubled, vexed, and just plain worried the farmer by means of an alphabetical soup of bureaus, many of them more interested in possibilities of social reformation than in production.

I told you the net result, between the two wars, of this difference in philosophies? In the first year of World War I, the farmer increased production approximately 55 per cent. In World War II, we will not likely equal in 1943 the production of 1942 by anywhere from 8% up, in some commodities more.

Let the producer produce. This was the method of 1917; the proposed method of 1943 is "subsidies," now tactfully disguised as "incentive payments."

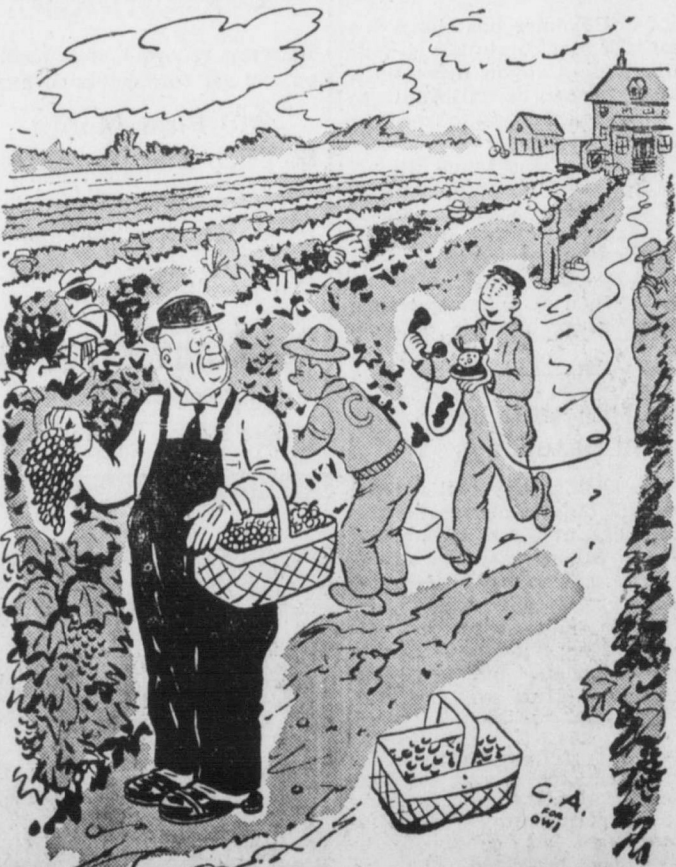
I rise to remark that I am opposed to subsidies. To me they are deceptive and political. In effect, the government under a subsidy plan says to the farmer: we know you are not selling your farm produce for what it costs you to grow it, but if you'll promise not to complain about it, so that we can go to the men and

women in the cities, and tell them we're "keeping down living costs," then we will take some money quietly out of the pockets of the city people, and give it to you. That is not honest. Neither is it practical. The farmer says, suspiciously, I'd rather be paid a fair price for the stuff I raise. So production falls.

Subsidies are political. The Congressional Record of April 14, page 3441, lists many of the subsidy payments of 1942. The farmers of California, which State produces more than 7 per cent (the Record gives that figure; I think it is low) of the nation's foodstuffs, received 12 million dollars in subsidies, while the farmers in Mississippi, producing less than 2 per cent, received 28 million dollars. 6,400 farmers in one State got more than 600,000 small farmers of the country.

But, you say, we can't have "inflation." The President, or the OPA, or the OWI, or somebody, says that if we give the farmer the amount of money it costs him to raise his produce, this would cause inflation. We can, of course, give wage increases to the man who works in a steel mill, or a coal mine, or a plane plant, or a shipyard, (and I rise to remark that I am glad to see them get good wages, wherever a good day's work is given in return) and that is not inflationary; and we can order a 48-hour week (how the farmer would like that!) with 1½ pay over 40, and that's not inflationary; and we can pay the farmer \$12 a ton for his cabbage and \$22 a ton for his tomatoes, and sell them to the consumer for over \$300 a ton, and that's not inflationary; and we can have tremendously high wages with a reduction in the things that people would like to buy, and that's not inflationary; and we can raise the wages of several million government employees, many of whom are unnecessary young men getting from \$4,600 to \$9,000 a year, so that the total increase is \$600,000,000 a year, and that's not inflationary; but to give the farmer a few cents more a pound, ton, bushel or acre, my, my, my, that's inflation.

I repeat what I said before: In the first 15 months of World War I, under the control of that food administration, retail prices on foodstuffs rose 15.1 per cent. In World War II, in exactly the same length of time, and under the most powerful bureaucracy outside of Russia and Germany, with the best regulatory ideas of the best classroom brains in America, retail food prices rose 18.7 per cent. The proof of the pudding is in the eating.



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## Relief of Housing Shortage Here Is Progressing, Report

Two applications for slight zoning variations to enable the owners to convert their properties into more living units under the National Housing program, represented here by Culver Nichols, met with approval of the city council Wednesday night when recommendations were presented by the planning commission.

One was that of A. J. Cole for conversion of business property on North Palm Canyon drive into five apartments and the other was that of Fabricated Houses, Inc., for changes at their property, The Desert Retreat, which would provide 30 living units.

Two weeks ago, Albert W. Pearce, of Hollywood, was issued a permit for \$11,000, entailing remodeling of his property, The Swedish Inn, into living quarters for seven persons.

No official word was available on any of these three projects or their progress through the channels of the NHA but if all applications are approved by the government, living units for 42 persons or families will be provided.

It is understood that more conversion projects are under contemplation and that by fall, a long step toward relieving the acute housing shortage which has prevailed here since the start of the last season, will have been taken.

## Do Not Make the Laws, Just Enforce Them, Says Sorum

Ray Sorum, director of public works, this week expressed the wish that there was a way he could impress upon the public who have dealings with his departments at the city hall, that he does not make the laws.

All I am here for, is to enforce them," he said.

Basing their requests "on the war" or on the housing shortage, dozens of persons have asked variations of the building and zoning code, or temporary permits aimed to circumvent the city zoning law. Many ask special favors or exceptions to the code.

"I can't amend the laws," said Mr. Sorum. "They do not seem to realize that. All I can do is enforce them. If they want changes, they must take their chances with the Planning Commission."

"There is no such thing as a temporary permit. I either issue a permit, or, if it fails to meet city laws, deny it."

### THE CHINESE SAY

There is many a good man beneath a shabby hat. A bird can roost on but one branch; a mouse can drink no more than its fill from a river. What cannot be told had better not be done.

Dig a well before you are thirsty. If you don't scale the mountain you cannot view the plain. Though you have money you cannot buy what is not to sell.

## Schedules

For Your Convenience

### MAIL SCHEDULE

Post office at 174 North Palm Canyon Drive, R. M. Gorham, postmaster.

Outbound mail closes on Week-days at 11:00 a. m., 5:00 p. m., 7 p. m. On Sundays at 5 p. m.

Incoming mail distributed on weekdays at 8 a. m., 3 p. m. No distribution on Sundays.

### BUS SCHEDULE

Greyhound depot at The Plaza and Indian avenue. R. R. Dunlap, agent.

Eastbound  
Leave Los Angeles: 9:30 a. m.; 12:30 p. m.; 3:30 p. m.  
Arrive Palm Springs: 2:22 p. m.; 4:55 p. m.; 8:19 p. m.

Westbound  
Leave Palm Springs: 4:39 a. m., 7:25 a. m.; 1:39 p. m., 6:09 p. m.  
Arrive Los Angeles: 9:30 a. m., 11:50 a. m.; 5:55 p. m., 10:40 p. m.

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## Funeral Services In Banning for Palm Springs Man

Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock Wednesday at Wiefel's chapel in Banning for John P. Fletcher, of 433 East Andreas Road. He had lived here for the past six years and was the gardener for Los Arboles Apartment Hotel.

The deceased was 59 years old, a native of Oklahoma, and is survived by his wife and a 12-year-old daughter. Burial was in Montecito Memorial Park at Loma Linda. The Rev. Harry Gromer of Banning had charge of the service, with Wiefel & Son in charge of the funeral.

## Find Body . . .

(Continued from page 1)  
Francisco, where, friends say, she told them, she divorced her husband a year ago.

Her husband's father operates a store in San Francisco and an effort is being made to locate him. No relatives of the woman have been located so far.

### INQUEST AT BANNING

Mrs. King was 42 years of age. She was said to have remarked to friends that "she wished the end would come" but there was no indication of self-destruction, investigating officers said.

At the inquest held at Wiefel and Sons, Banning, where the body was sent, the coroner's jury reported that death was due to "causes unknown but probably natural."

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That Raymond W. Martin, vendor, whose address is 34 The Plaza, in the City of Palm Springs, County of Riverside, State of California, intends to sell, transfer and assign to Arthur E. Willis, Vendee and intended Transferee, whose address is 34 The Plaza, in the City of Palm Springs, County of Riverside, State of California, all his right, title and interest in the following described personal property, to-wit:

All stock in trade, fixtures, equipment, supplies and one Willis panel delivery automobile, and good will of a certain dry cleaning and pressing business known as The Plaza Cleaners located at 34 The Plaza, in the City of Palm Springs, County of Riverside, State of California.

That a sale, transfer and assignment of the aforesaid stock in trade, fixtures, equipment, supplies, automobile, and good will of the said business will be made, and the consideration therefor will be paid on the twelfth day of June, 1943, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., at the Bank of America National Trust and Savings Association, Palm Springs Branch, in the City of Palm Springs, County of Riverside, State of California.

Dated: June 1, 1943.  
RAYMOND W. MARTIN  
Vendor  
ARTHUR E. WILLIS  
Vendee and intended Transferee

### NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That the co-partnership heretofore existing under the name of "Willis & Martin" and "The Plaza Cleaners" at 34 The Plaza, in the City of Palm Springs, County of Riverside, State of California, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Arthur E. Willis, having purchased the interest of Raymond W. Martin. All persons who are indebted to the undersigned are respectfully requested to come forward and make payment immediately. Dated at Palm Springs, California, this 1st day of June, 1943.  
ARTHUR E. WILLIS  
RAYMOND W. MARTIN

## Changes in Dance Permit Ordinance To Simplify Rules

Amendments to the city ordinance governing issuance of dance permits was authorized by city council Wednesday night in a move to simplify procedure and to eliminate red tape.

Under terms of the proposed change, now being prepared by City Attorney Roy W. Colegate, Police Chief Lyle J. Sanard will be authorized to issue permits which are requested between council meetings, provided all safety regulations are met and on approval of the building inspector and Fire Chief Bill Leonosio.

## S. P. Employees Put Millions Into War Bonds

About \$5,300,000 was invested in War Savings Bonds by Southern Pacific employees of the Pacific Lines through the company's payroll savings plan during the past twelve months, according to Medard Kerr, local treasurer for the railroad.

In addition, several million dollars worth of bonds were bought through other channels. In April alone, while the Second War Loan drive was on, more than \$700,000 was invested in extra bonds, it was stated.

Committees on all of the company's divisions are carrying on the solicitation campaign to further increase participation in the payroll savings plan, Kerr said.

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VICTORY BIRTHDAY Tiny Diana Tapia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Tapia of 1207 South Kingsley Drive, bought a \$100 War Bond for her first birthday and brought down her cake to share with 19 other bond buyers at Victory House in Pershing Square. Standard Chevrolet Mary Bovard cuts the cake. Sgt. Robert Thavler (U.S.M.) holds Diana.



## Ordinance, Fixing Cost of Operating City, Introduced

Councilman John Connell Wednesday night introduced an ordinance fixing the amount of money to be raised by taxation this year to operate the city of Palm Springs.

Given first reading Wednesday, the measure provides that \$2150 be raised for the library fund and \$66,850 for the other departments of the city, a total of \$69,000.

Figures on the assessed valuation of the city have not yet been received from the assessor's office at Riverside but the tax rate will probably remain at the \$1 per \$100 valuation which prevailed last year.

## USO, Show, Moe . . .

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ole Moe would strut his yellow down around the dance floor like a Roman Conqueror and we'd be left without an audience.

Pvt. Hank Davis, his foster parent had him done up in a tie and Moe was sporting one of the cockiest strides seen this side of Brooklyn. Such arrogance! Davis swore Moe could shake hands, play dead and put on his own hat. Even hinted that his next accomplishment would be The Strip Polka. Darned if Moe didn't give you an eerie feeling that maybe he COULD.

Next time we entertain the army we're going to make sure that their mascot is really a "dumb animal" and I think you know what we mean. Imagine! playing second fiddle to a duck!

### Now Accustomed To It

"Among them are Highlanders, who disembarked to the skirl of the bagpipes, a new instrument to the Algerians. Algiers is now almost back to normal."—Inverness Courier, spotted by Punch.

## The June 5th

Issue of  
THE SATURDAY EVENING

## POST

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BEING INDUCTED TOMORROW!"

## Cathedral City

W. R. HILLERY

Photographs of the early days of any community are always of great interest to most everyone who have occasion to study them. At least I found the display in the Palm Springs Museum last year very absorbing. They showed early days in Palm Springs.

Our community was fortunate this week in securing a dozen pictures showing Cathedral City at its inception. Mrs. John J. Grove while preparing to leave for the summer months, found the pictures and turned them over to the writer. They will be properly mounted and captioned and placed in Cathedral City Library.

Not much has been mentioned lately about the library but it is very much alive thanks to the efforts of Mrs. Marie Ide and James W. Kyle. Mrs. Ide has further volunteered to keep the library open each Wednesday evening from 7 to 9. Summer service has never been offered before and it should be appreciated by the army families as well as the civilians who remain here principally because of the army people.

James K. Wolseth is not only a trustee of the library but donated a war bond last week to be added to the building fund. This type of gift is very acceptable and is a proper type of donation to make while the war is in progress.

It is rumored the highway is to be substantially widened from Araby Point to the first of the

nasty curves just east of our village. That is fine but can't some power, civil or military, get busy and blast a safe bit of road out of those very dangerous curves. In the past they have caused many accidents and injuries and some deaths.

Everyone was happy at the news some weeks ago that space coolers would be released for desert homes. Somewhere along the line there was a slip-up and we couldn't get them. However, a careful hunt has unearthed a number of motors and fans and several craftsmen have made up the coolers from most any scrap material that could be found.

Dr. F. M. Harvey and wife were in the village over the weekend to look after their rental property here.

Mrs. E. Elsterman and Mrs. G. Zouganiles were in Los Angeles last week for a few days. Both these ladies are volunteer aircraft warning observers and are filling an urgent need.

I. Jacobsen, long time resident here, was over on business from the Jacobsen farm near Hemet.

One of the problems of our community will not down — we are growing and are too big to go untidy and not big enough to hire a valet. C. S. Cobb thinks we have solved the garbage pickup problem at least for the present. Again we ask that whoever goes in the job to give him your full support.

## Publisher Named New County Chamber Secretary

Harry C. Harper, publisher of the Riverside News since 1937, has been appointed secretary of the Riverside chamber of commerce with a salary of \$300 and expenses. He succeeds Donald W. McColly, who resigned to accept a position with W. B. Parker, state director of farm production.

The board of supervisors, after naming Harper to the position, decided that he should become county farm labor coordinator under the jurisdiction of the Riverside county farm production committee.

Harper's first work will be a county-wide survey of the needs for labor housing and transportation which the new state food production commission needs at once to determine what assistance must be given Riverside county.

### ACCLIMATIZED

In the train recently a woman from an inland town was talking about her air-raid experiences. There hadn't been many and they weren't very spectacular—but she talked steadily for more than thirty minutes.

At last another woman, who had mentioned earlier that her home was in Hull, said quietly: "But, you know, we've had quite a lot of bombs in Hull."  
"Oh, yes," replied the lady of the reminiscences, "but you're used to it!"—Answers.

## NOTICE

Summer office hours in effect at The Desert Sun office now are:

Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 10 a. m. to 3 p. m.  
Thursdays, 8 a. m. to 5 p. m.  
Closed Fridays.  
Saturdays, 8 a. m. to noon.

## Military Members Of Sanard Family Report All's Well

Chief of Police Lyle J. Sanard and Mrs. Sanard this week had much news from the military members of their family.

Sidney Sanard, their youngest son, who recently went into the U. S. Marine Corps and was sent to the base at San Diego, was a week-end visitor in the Village Saturday and Sunday. He has been assigned to a six-weeks course of training as a fireman at the base.

### MEET IN AFRICA

A letter came this week from Corporal Bert Sanard, their oldest son, who has been in North Africa for some time. He wrote that he was getting along fine and in great health.

He was planning to go out the next day, on his day off, to meet John Miller, another Palm Springs youth and son of Mrs. Freda Miller of the Monte Vista apartments "somewhere in North Africa."

### LT. DUNN GOES EAST

To top it off, the Sanards then received word from their daughter, Mrs. Horace Dunn, that their son-in-law, Lt. Dunn, had been assigned to an advanced training school at Aberdeen, Md.

Mrs. Dunn will visit with her husband's parents at Granville, Ill., while her husband is in Maryland. He had been stationed near San Diego.

The comparatively new electrolytic method of tin-plating uses 60% less tin than the old method of "hot dipping."

Happiness consists in the attainment of our desires, and in having only right desires. — Augustine.

## Here's How to Fill Out Book III Application

Seven major points to check off when filling out the application form for War Ration Book III were listed today by the OPA. Southern California applicants are advised to check them carefully, to avoid errors, which will result in delay in receiving the new Book.

1. Print or type your name and return address in application form so it is easy to read.
2. List names and birth dates of all members of family unit, related by marriage, blood or adoption, on the same application.
3. Sign the application in your own handwriting.
4. Tear off the identification stub, and keep it carefully. It is your receipt.
5. Place 3c stamp on designated corner before mailing.
6. Check application form carefully to avoid mistakes.
7. Mail application before June 10.



FUN—Sally Payne in "Mountain Rhythm" at the Palm Springs theater June 12 with "Saddles and Sagebrush" as the co-feature.

By. Capt. Herc Ficklen

## May Is Crowding June as Marriage Month in County

June had better look out. May may grab the title as the month of brides at the rate the figures are going this year.

Gordon Pequegnat, county clerk, reported this week that May, 1943, hit an all-time record for that month in the number of marriage licenses issued. The total was 207.

That is near the all-time high set in June, the marrying month.

About 1,750,000 troops a month travel on American trains in official troop movements, exclusive of furlough travel.

### YOU'RE IN THE ARMY NOW



"I'm mailing 'em home for Fido—He's a bad way nowadays with

## Curtailment of Pleasure Trips Is Necessary

Why today's manpower shortage makes it increasingly important for the public to voluntarily limit pleasure trips and cooperate closely with transportation companies has been explained by F. W. Ackerman, Vice President of Pacific Greyhound Lines.

"If selective service boards induct an appreciable number of fathers this year, the manpower shortage of intercity bus companies will become even more acute," Mr. Ackerman said, quoting from a study just made by the National Association of Motor Bus Operators.

"This study," Mr. Ackerman stated, "shows that 73 per cent of all bus drivers are between 21 and 37 years of age; and 62 per cent of maintenance personnel are between 18 and 37. Most of these men have been deferred because they have children. Last year the nation's bus lines lost nearly half of their bus drivers principally to the armed services, although transportation is considered a vitally essential vocation. In addition to their replacement, the bus lines had to greatly increase the number of drivers to take care of wartime transportation demands. And the problem is not only one of employment, but also of training, because every new bus driver is required to take a lengthy course of instruction in the interests of public safety. There was an even higher rate of turnover in the maintenance departments, because of employees joining the military forces."

### PUBLIC CAN HELP

This problem of employment is one of the most important reasons why transportation companies are urging the public to limit all their travel to trips that are absolutely essential, the bus executive pointed out. "Speaking for Pacific Greyhound Lines," Mr. Ackerman said, "our load is constantly increasing and will continue to increase as the tempo of war is stepped up. While vacation travel cannot be considered essential, it is desirable in many cases, but it is important that people should do as little traveling as possible and do that traveling on Tuesdays' Wednesdays and Thursdays only, instead of over the week-ends when the greatest number of military personnel travel and all available transportation facilities are crowded."

## Red Cross Board . . .

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Cutler is head of another committee and the combined tasks proved too great. Mrs. Maurice Libott was appointed to head the Motor Corps for the summer months.

### OPEN TWO DAYS

Mrs. William A. Lippman was named vice-chairman of the production committee of which Mrs. Armand Turonnet is chairman.

Mrs. Guy Pinney was named chairman of the Home Service committee and will be assisted by Mrs. Marshall Urist, a trained social service worker. They will be at headquarters all day Monday and Thursday and may be reached on other days through Mrs. Madge Holderman, public health nurse, with offices at the Health Center.

Mrs. Thomas Ward was named publicity chairman.

### GIFTS ACKNOWLEDGED

Two gifts were acknowledged gratefully by the directors.

One was the loan of a cooler by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Carpenter which will do much for the comfort of Red Cross workers during the summer months.

Ernest Alschuler presented a cutter to the production department to cut soles for the house slippers the branch is making for patients at Torney General hospital. He also donated material out of which to cut the soles.

### CLUBS ASSISTING

It was also reported that the Rotary and Lions clubs had interested themselves in the Red Cross work at the army posts here. The Rotary donated a cooler for the second floor of the recreation hall and Bullocks loaned one for the first floor.

The Lions presented the hospital with 60 swimming trunks. Both clubs are also interesting themselves in helping furnish the new day room at the 21st Ferrying Group base here.

### NOT UNDERSTOOD

Old Gaffer Muggins met the vicar as he was strolling down the village street.

"Ah, Muggins," boomed the vicar, "there's spring in the air."

"What's that you say?" asked Muggins.

"I said spring in the air," thundered the vicar.

"Why should I?" snapped the

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## Mr. and Mrs. Burket Acquire New House

Another realty deal was reported involving Palm Springs residential property, at the recorder's office at the court house last week.

The deal, recorded by the Riverside Title company, was that in which Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Burket, of Burket court, acquired a dwelling on the west side of Indian avenue, from Mrs. Elizabeth Myers.

### A PRECIOUS LETTER

You may write a thousand letters to the girl that you adore,

And declare in every letter that you love her more and more;

You may praise her grace and beauty in a thousand gleaming lines,

And compare her eyes of azure to the brightest star that shines.

If you had the pen of Byron, you could use it every day.

In comparing written worship to your sweetheart far away.

But the letter far more welcome to an older, gentler breast

Is the letter to your Mother, from the boy she loves the best.

She will read it very often when the lights are soft and low, Sitting in the armchair where she held you long ago

And regardless of its diction, or its spelling, or its style,

And although its simple manner might provoke a critic's smile.

In her fond and trembling fingers it become a work of art,

Stained by tears of joy and sadness, as she hugs it to her heart,

Yes, the letter of all letters, no matter where you roam,

Is the letter to your Mother from the boy away from home.

(Written by Victor Key of Ashbury Park, New Jersey, one of England's men in uniform and offered for publication by Miss Greda L. Feist of this city.)

### TRUTH FOLLOWS

Complaints still come from America that the Germans get their lies in before the British censors release the true version.

This "time-lag" recalls a telegram sent to King George during the last war by the Army leader after an important victory over the Turks. Handicapped by having to express himself in a foreign tongue, he wired:

"Our victorious troops have captured one of the enemy's divisions near Taffleh. The truth follows by post."—Exchange.

### GOOD ANSWER

Life was very hard, thought the sergeant as he went round inspecting the rifles of a very raw lot of recruits.

As he peered down the muzzle of one weapon he could hardly believe his eyes.

"And what's that oil in barrel for, me lad?" he bellowed.

The guilty one was scared, but replied hopefully:

"Well, sergeant, I thought it would help to make the bullet come out faster."—Answers.

Let's all keep driving by driving less, advises Gordon H. Garland, Director of Motor Vehicles.

## Forest Areas Closed June 1

All the heavily used and developed recreational areas including summer homes, resorts and public camp grounds within the San Bernardino forest are left open under the closure order issued last week by DeWitt Nelson, forest supervisor. The closure order went into effect June 1.

Areas in the San Jacinto mountains, which will remain open under the order, are the Idyllwild area including Keen Camp and Tahquitz Lodge, the area in the vicinity of Hemet Lake and Herkey Creek and the Pinyon Flat Camp and Nightingale camp area.

## Palm Springs Man In Big Hotel Deal

George O. Relf, owner of the El Encanto hotel, 415 South Palm Canyon drive, and associates, have purchased the El Mirasol hotel at Santa Barbara, according to word received here today.

The sale was made by the Security First National bank of Santa Barbara. Relf has been managing the hotel for the bank for the past year. Consideration was not given.

John R. E. Chaffey, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce went to Encinitas, on the coast, to spend a few days with his family, now there for the summer.

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- \$125—Very attr. 3 bed, 3 baths.
- \$150—Well furn. 3 bed, 3 baths.
- \$250—SWIMMING POOL, 4 bed, 4 baths, available by year.
- \$250—SWIMMING POOL, 3 bed, 3 baths, available 6 months.

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# With the Boys in the Service

## 21st FERRYING GROUP NEWS NOTES

Ferrying Division, Air Transport Command, Army Air Field,  
Palm Springs, California

By Cpl. George Goodale

### THIS THING CAN GO TOO FAR

The cinema, we think, is a great thing. It gives you drama, romance, adventure, comedy and news. Its women are pretty and appealing. Its men are capable. Furthermore the conditions under which you focus your eyes on the spinning film call for darkness, which makes it easy, desirable and stylish to grasp the little woman's hand or encircle her shoulders snugly with your mannish G. I. arm.

But—you can carry too far those things you see, especially when it gives you ideas like it gave a couple of the boys (names not obtainable) in Message Center. They had attended one of the local celluloid emporiums the night before where they had witnessed the Dione Quints christening a Victory ship.

Anyhow, they came rushing to our office the next morning and they excitedly and breathlessly insisted that one of our men had just become a father of nine, YES, NINE, babies!

Being originally of the newspaper fraternity and being the eye-witness of much unbelievable phenomena in the past, we thought it prudent to check this report which they insisted was accurate. A Pvt. Samuel G. Carmichael of the Motor Pool, they said, had just received the wire from the mother of the nine little ones.

So we sought out Pvt. Carmichael. He wasn't around and, furthermore, we were told he did not possess a wife. Not being one to expose a fellow soldier, we rapidly began to lose interest in the story until Sgt. Joe Cyranek, who had previously been sought, appeared. Sure, he knew about it. He even had the telegram and he pressed it in our hand.

"Nine little ones five a. m. All doing fine. Love, Mother."

Thus read the telegram, to which Sgt. Cyranek quickly explained that Pvt. Carmichael raises hogs on a farm near Glen-shaw, Penn., and that his prize-winning sow had just blessed-evented.

The Message Center boys are now confining their reading to the Post's daily orders, which do not offer much to the imaginative mind, and their picture-seeing to post-cards of the desert. They are dry, too.

### LIFE'S LIKE THAT

Cupid and his tag-a-long, the Stork, are busy little bees around this place—and among human beings!

Sgt. James Williams of radio and Mrs. Williams are expecting any week now. Sgt. Russell Cramer's wife presented him with a 7½ pound baby girl last week.

By the time this appears we have been told Pvt. Martin J. Sullivan and Miss Penny Nyberg of Hollywood will be wed.

Sgt. Gordon Plunkett's wife, 'tis said, is enroute here to join him this month.

### HE'S AFTER COYOTES

Sgt. Don B. Kitson of Headquarters finally quit bumping his gums on his food this week and is now chewing with clippers.

Inasmuch as his new teeth are strictly G. I., he's been wanting to know if he must lay them on his bed along with his other government issue stuff when inspection time comes.

We warn him not to do it, because if he does, Junior, alias the Old-Timer, plans to pilfer them. Junior wants to build a coyote trap.

### DIFFERENT SCENE

Speaking of Junior, sometimes known as Pfc. Maurice Prince, brings to mind the squelch doled out to him at one of the taverns the other eve.

Junior wound up a complaint with the words: "I'm from Texas."

"That's tough, kid. You're in California now," was the comeback.

S-Sgt. Timothy Donovan, the heart-throb, back from school...



Adams, S-Sgt. Samuel, R. Army  
Adams, John A. Archibald, John, Army  
Archibald, John, Army  
Axthelm, Warren, Army  
Ayala, Fred S. AAC\*  
Bagwell, Archie, AAC  
Bailey, Delbert, Navy  
Bailey, Lt. Leonard, Army  
Barkow, Harold, Army  
Bedwell, Edward  
Bell, S-Sgt. George E. AAC  
Bennett, Capt. F. Army  
Bevill, Blake, Army  
Bigham, John, Army  
Bogart, Lt. Frank, Navy  
Boba, Dominic, Navy  
Bogness, Lt. Wm. D. Army  
Bourne, Barney, Navy  
Bosworth, J. B. Army  
Boyd, Lt. Florian, Navy  
Boyd, Comdr. Thales S., Navy  
Brown, Lt. Harold A. Army  
Buckley, Lt. W. R. Army  
Burt, George, AAC  
Burris, Earl, Army  
Caro, Marcus, Army  
Camaddo, Emilio, B. Army  
Campbell, Clifford E. Army  
Colbert, Rex, Army  
Cox, Ben J. Navy  
Clark, Lt. John P. Army  
Clark, William, Navy  
Campbell, Sgt. Henry, AAC  
Combest, Wesley D. Army  
Coble, Warren, Navy  
Coble, Ferdinand, Army  
Craft, Floyd R. Army  
Candelaria, Bob, Army  
Castro, Charles, Army  
Clatworthy, Lt. Fred P., Jr. Army  
Coglazier, Walter, Navy  
Coffman, Cadet Owen, AAC  
Colley, Jim, Army  
Collins, John, Navy  
Craig, Stanley S. Navy  
Craig, Sgt. Richard, Army  
Crossley, Leon, Army  
Crucieton, Lt. Charles "Buster" AAC  
Curtis, Noble, Navy  
Curry, John, Navy  
Cutler, Ensign James, Navy  
Dailey, Graydon, Navy  
Dapron, Frank, Army  
Davis, Arlie, Army  
Davies, Stanley, Army  
Denier, Rupert, Army  
Denise, J. F., Jr. Army  
Derbonne, Carl, Army  
Dobbs, Jack, Army  
Downey, 1st Lt. J. H. AAC  
Dudley, Ed. Army  
Eckelman, Willard, Army  
Ellman, Herman, Army  
Evans, Frank W. Navy  
Everts, V. Lee, Army  
Fairley, George, Marines  
Falcon, Roman, Navy  
Farkas, David, Army  
Farrell, Lt. Charles, Navy  
Feekings, Gordon, Army  
Felix, Joe, Jr. Army

Filtz, Cpl. Joseph F. AAC  
Finchous, Max, Navy  
Folgesy, Bill, Army  
Fontes, Frank D. Army  
Foster, Herbert H. Jr., AAC  
Freeman, Jack, Army  
Freeman, Hy, Army  
Fritsch, Pfc. Armin S. Army  
Gaffin, Harry, Army  
Gage, Guy, M. Marine  
Gallman, Doc, Army  
Gallanese, Joe  
Galego, Alfonso, Army  
Gant, Charles, Navy  
Georgetown, Sgt. Joseph. Army  
Gaufr, Lloyd, Army  
Gautsello, Frank P. AAC  
Gardello, Cpl. Alfred, AAC  
Geggie, Donald, Army  
Gilbert, Lee, Army Air Corps  
Gillmore, Ralph, Navy  
Gibbs, Bill, Coast Guard  
Gill, Pfc. Richard P.  
Marines  
Goff, Dawson, Army  
Goodin, Ed, NAF  
Gorman, Donald R. Army  
Gray, Ralph, Navy  
Gray, Donald R. Navy  
Gray, 1st Lt. Wesley, Army  
Gray, Johnny, Army  
Gurado, Savino, Navy  
Guyer, Robert, Coast Guard  
Hahn, Harry A. Army  
Hase, R. W. Navy  
Hager, Albert, Navy  
Hager, Cecil, Army  
Hake, Walt, Coast Guard  
Hall, Allan, Marines  
Hall, Bill, Navy  
Hart, Charles, Jr. Navy  
Hanzlick, Willard, Army  
Hark, Jack, AAC  
Hargis, Lt. Robert, Army  
Harlow, Harry Jr. Navy  
Hartman, M. G., Jr. Navy  
Heller, 1st Lt. Wm. Army  
Herrera, Pete, Jr. Army  
Hiestand, Norman P. Navy  
Hillery, Jack, Coast Guard  
Hiss, Milton, Navy  
Hinkle, Lt. Barney, AAC  
Hobbs, Buddy, Army  
Holcomb, Ellis, Navy  
Horne, Walter, Army  
Horner, Harold, Army  
Hoskins, Walter, Army  
Home, Richard, AAC  
Huckaby, Charles, Army  
Huff, Russell, Navy  
Humphrey, Tom, Army  
Jaurez, Pfc. Joe, Army  
Keller, Sgt. Donald H. Army  
Keller, Henry, Army  
Kelley, Lt. N. W. Jr. AAC  
Kellogg, George, Navy  
Kioley, Pfc. F. T. AAC  
Klickman, Lt. J. A. Navy  
Klohr, John, Army  
Knorr, E. Alfred, AAC  
Knupp, C. V. Navy  
Kramer, Thos. E. Navy  
Kreimer, Geo. W. Navy  
Kubic, Bill, Navy  
Kuhlman, Gordon, Army

La Rue, Charles, Army  
Lanier, Jim, Army  
Lang, Charles, AAC  
Levi, Robert J. Army  
Levi, Steve, Marines  
Lewis, Frank, Navy  
Lawhorn, James D. Army  
Lotz, Henry, AAC  
Lux, William, Army  
Leonoso, Bruno, Navy  
Madama, B. R. AAC  
Maher, Don, Army  
McCozy, Wilfred, Army  
McKenzie, 1st Lt. E. Army  
Mero, Chester V. Navy  
Miller, Sgt. John, Army  
Miller, Philip, Army  
Miller, Pete, M. Marine  
Mills, Lt. Hawley, AAC  
McAllister, Ray, Army  
Morton, James, Army  
Monhollen, Monte, Navy  
Monnett, Geo. H. Jr. Navy  
Mooney, Midship J. D. Navy  
Moore, Bob, Navy  
Morris, Lester, Army  
Morgan, Douglas, Navy  
Mynard, Robert, Army  
McDaniel, Edson, Army  
McKinney, Floyd, Army  
Neel, Earl, Navy  
Nila, Pete, AAC  
Noble, John H. Navy  
Norris, Bob, Army  
Nugent, Lloyd, Army  
O'Connor, Lt. Michael, Army  
O'Brien, Fred, Army  
Oliver, Lt. Com. J. B. Navy  
Olivera, Gilbert, Army  
Ostrander, Charles M. Navy  
Omlin, Joe, Jr. Coast Guard  
Oultault, Dick, Army  
Papendick, Leo, Army  
Parala, Lawrence R. Army  
Parsons, Maj. Jack G. Army  
Pavel, Stephen, Jr. Army  
Plymire, Capt. H. L. AAC  
Pressey, Capt. Lyle, Army  
Preston, M-Sgt. Al. Marines  
Preston, S-Sgt. C. M. Army  
Preston, Pfc. Alfred J. Army  
Prieto, Raoul, Army  
Peeler, Lt. Col. C. E. Army  
Peebles, Charles, Army  
Pershing, Maj. Frank, Army  
Peterson, Robert W. Navy  
Portnoy, Joseph, Army  
Pinney, Warren, Jr. Navy  
Prendergast, William, Army  
Prieto, Joe, Navy  
Ramsland, Noel, Army  
Ransom, Maj. Robert, AAC  
Rapp, Cadet Keith A. AAC  
Reed, Ted, Jr. AAC  
Reid, Lt. Henry S. Jr. Army  
Reif, Geo. O. Jr. Army  
Reif, Wm. F. Navy  
Redding, John S. Navy  
Reynolds, Cpl. Alfred, Army  
Reid, Albert J. Army  
Richardson, Lt. M. F. Navy  
Riley, Charles, Navy  
Roach, Harold, AAC  
Roberts, Kid, Army  
Rogers, Glen, Army  
Rosenquist, Joe L. Navy

Rotchstein, Joe, Jr. Navy  
Rothstein, Nels, Navy  
Rowan, Sgt. Robert J. Army  
Rushing, Edgar, Army  
Ryah, Wm. E. Jr. Navy  
Sanborn, Gerald K. Navy  
Sanard, Sld, Marines  
Sanard, Bert, AAC  
Scarborough, H. Army  
Schachter, Ed, Army  
Sheptenko, Peter B. Army  
Maher, Raymond, Jr. Navy  
Selimtha, Eugene, Army  
Scriven, Al, Navy  
Shelby, Dale, Navy  
Scott, John, Army  
Shill, Gerald, AAC  
Shultz, George J. Army  
Simon, John W. Army  
Spearman, Caesar, Army  
Staley, Capt. P. A. Army  
Steffensen, Preben, AAC  
Steinbusch, Hubert, Army  
Simone, Al, Jr. Army  
Simon, Lt. Jacques, AAC  
Sisk, Elmer, Army  
Siva, Alvin, Army  
Smith, Lloyd Mason, Army  
Smithwick, Lt. F. L. Army  
Smithwick, Lt. V. J. Army  
Smithwick, Lt. M. H. Army  
Soto, Cris, Marines  
Sullivan, Arbin H. Army  
Summers, Bird, Army  
Sperry, Maj. F. M. Army  
Spiegel, Pfc. Earl, AAC  
Steffey, Bob, Navy  
Stoner, Dale, Navy  
Swanson, Ray, Army  
Swart, 2nd Lt. R. M. Army  
Tawnton, Elmer, Army  
Taggart, 1st Lt. Geo. Army  
Talvera, Steve, Army  
Terlin, S-Sgt. Sandy, USMC  
Tennison, J. Marines  
Tesla, Cpl. Walter, Army  
Tetheral, Edmond J. M. Mar.  
Thompson, Lt. Albert, AAC  
Toder, Sgt. Joseph, Army  
Tomkins, Glenwood, Navy  
Tomkins, CPO Ray, Navy  
Tomkins, George, Navy  
Ulmer, Francis, Navy  
Van Fleet, Roger, Army  
Varnel, Ballis, Army  
Vogt, Chester, Marines  
Vogt, Alvin, Army  
Ward, Cpl. Benny, Army  
Watson, Roy, Navy  
Weatherall, Lt. C. Army  
Weatherall, Lt. Niel, Army  
Weatherall, Lewis, Army  
Weber, George, Army  
White, Raymond W. Army  
Wolfe, Red, Army  
Wright, Les, Army  
Whipple, C. W. Army  
Whitaker, Lt. Earl, Army  
Wright, Millard, Army  
Wroughton, Cadet Ted, AAC  
Williams, Seth M. Army  
Youngs, Jack V. Navy  
\* AAC—Army Air Corps

## TORNEY GENERAL HOSPITAL EVENTS

News of the Enlisted Men of the Medical and Quartermaster  
Detachments at Torney Army General Hospital, Palm Springs  
By S-Sgt. Russel H. Genich

### NO CHEAP SKATE

The advent of the Sanitary units to Torney provided a new mood for G. I. activity at the Hospital. Camp slang hit a new Brooklynite high, and we discovered that the way to get along in the Army was not to "tear your pants" with the 1st Sergeant and Commanding Officer.

The colored boys put a pair of ball teams in the softball league that are real "hell bent for election" fighters. What they lacked in finesse and athletic proficiency was made up in "fight" and the will to win.

Menial tasks or pencil pushing jobs, it didn't matter which, the boys always came up smiling.

This is not going to be a sob story. These Sanitary Company boys wouldn't tolerate it. It's simply a tale of the foresite of one individual in providing a real bit of recreation and an evening of real good, clean fun for these boys each week.

Upon the arrival of these two hundred and fifty men, it became evident that adequate recreational facilities were lacking, because of the small number of peoples of the colored race in Palm Springs.

Several progressively-minded individuals thereupon put on their thinking caps, with result that recreation with a capital "R" is now on tap.

Mrs. Anderson, who operates the local Roller Rink, planned one evening a week especially for these Sanitary Company men. Local colored families are guests of the men at these parties, which spell goodfellowship from start to finish. The TGH Dietetic Department provides refreshments to top off a swell evening's activity. Orchids to Mrs. Anderson.

### OFFICER MARRIED

Major Ferdinand H. Mistretta, Chief of Officers' Section, Medical Service, announced, upon return from a three week furlough, that "Major and Mrs." would adorn his calling cards in the future.

The new Mrs. Mistretta is the former Alma Sherman Jordan of Haverford, Pa. The nuptials were read at a very simple ceremony at a pastor's home in Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. Mistretta will join the Major in Palm Springs later in the year if housing facilities permit.

### EM SOFTBALL TEAM TOUGH

The TGH enlisted men came through in a blaze of glory with a convincing 11 to 5 win over the Ferrying Command Officers. The Officers never offered a serious threat, while our EM walked away with an easy victory. Leslie's steady pitching, Tripp's solid four bagger, and a sensational catch by outfielder Kingsley highlighted the game. Ferrying Command pitcher "Mike" Frankovich clowned thru seven hit-dodging frames.

### OFFICERS ON SHORT END

The Ferrying Command Strafers came up with a well earned 12 to 7 victory over the TGH Officers last Thursday night, May 27th. The Officers spotted the Strafers too many markers early in the game, therefore, the late inning rally fell short of its mark. Lts. Rex Rutter and Hershel Taylor were on the mound for the Officers, Taylor holding the Strafers scoreless during the last several frames. Lt. Col. Blair provided the big guns at the plate, while Capt. Wright sustained a minor injury, which, fortunately, won't keep the Captain on the bench for long.

### KEGGLING

Roaring to the finish line are the Registrars and the Dental Clinic teams, which are tied for first place with 34 won and 18 lost, as the current bowling schedule draws to a close. Per-

## Miss Estelle Booth, Of TGH Red Cross Staff, Goes North

With real regret, both the Red Cross staff and the Hospital and Recreation corps at Torney, have said good-bye to Estelle Booth, who has been head of the recreation department since last November.

Miss Booth left Wednesday and will visit friends in Los Angeles before returning to her home in Berkeley. During the summer will be counselor for children working in a harvest camp near Auburn, Calif.

## Pvt. Pete Herrera Is Now in Oregon

Word was received here by friends from Pvt. Pete Herrera, a resident of the Village for the past ten years who is now stationed at the Station Hospital at Fort Stevens, Oregon.

Pvt. Herrera is in the medical corps. He wrote that he is getting the news of the Village regularly through the columns of The Desert Sun.

## That Pesky Fly Is In for a Bad Time

Nearly 400 fly swatters have been turned out by patients working in the Red Cross craft shop during the past week. Under direction of Helga Swenson, recreation worker, materials were secured from local merchants and the death-dealing tools were constructed.

sonnel with 32 won and 20 lost, is the only other team with a chance for the top spot.

At present Luis leads the field with a solid 181 average; Cacamise, 172, Graffice, 167, and Pennington and Davidson with 166 follow in that order.

### SPECIAL SERVICE PRESENTS

The Officers and their families and friends were feted at a show known as the "Torney Varieties," given in their honor by the Special Service Department's Entertainment Crew last Monday night. The show featured all G. I. talent, the performers being 100% Torney employees or military personnel. Pfc. Chet Summers handled the show in fine style, and all who attended the performance went away singing praises to the entertainment.

### BAND CONCERT

An outstanding aggregation of fine musicians, the 40th Armored Regiment Band, will give a concert in the garden at the Hospital this Sunday, June 6th. The Band held forth at the Hospital three weeks ago, and pleased everyone with a well planned program of modern music. We look forward to another pleasant hour of music with them.

### GIVE "SOLID" SHOW

The Rice Army Air Base's 312th Bomb Group Show Unit made a three point landing at Torney and obtained the objective with some well-placed fun and music.

## NOTARY PUBLIC

Alice Caine Parry  
337 N. Palm Canyon Drive

## Many Name Bands Represented on New Band Being Organized at Ferrying Group Base Here; Furniture Arrives

Basic organization of a military band, acquisition of many articles of furniture for enlisted mens' day rooms and further assignments of officers and promotions of enlisted men were announced this week by Lt. Col. Andrew B. Cannon, commanding officer of the 21st Ferrying Group, Air Transport Command, Palm Springs Army Air Field.

Although the band's strength now stands at 10 men, it is planned to increase its size several times within the next few weeks, according to Lt. Edgar Sinnott, Special Services Officer.

### FROM NAME BANDS

Musicians from some of the nation's leading dance and symphony orchestras can be found in the original roster of the group here, it was revealed. Dance groups represented include Rudy Vallee, Tommy Dorsey, Horace Heidt, Victor Young, Johnny Richards and Ben Bernie. On the serious side such orchestras as Peter Meremblum's symphony, the National Youth orchestra which Leopold Stokowski organized, the Kansas City Philharmonic, Los Angeles Philharmonic and the Hollywood Bowl orchestra are represented. Loyola university band, the Dayton, Ohio Civic band, Dayton University band and the Otterbein college band also are represented.

Arranger of the band is Pvt. Eugene Castagnoli, 18 years old, who did many of Tommy Dorsey's arrangements. He left the University of California to enter the army this year.

### OTHER SOLID SENDERS

Other members of the band are: Pvt. 1st class Alvin Famularo, trumpet; Pvt. Robert Bickmore, saxophone, flute; Pvt. Kenneth C. Winstead, bass; Pvt. William Rob-

## Lt. Wood Now Busy In Combat Training

Lt. H. Grant Wood of Palm Springs, who has been stationed at Fort Monmouth, N. J., for the past few weeks, has returned to that post after a brief absence.

He started Officers' Combat training at the post this week.

mer of the U. S. O. in Los Angeles, Mrs. O. D. May, 905 S. Burnside, Los Angeles, Mrs. H. Coyer, 1002 S. Sherbourne, and William Hill, 726 S. Wilton Pl., also of Los Angeles.

Two groups headed by Mrs. Lucille Friedman, 933 S. Norton, and Mrs. Joe Chazan, 8770 S. Broadway, both of Los Angeles, collected and repaired other furniture for use here. Mrs. Leavitt, 1515 W. 94th street, Los Angeles, donated recreational equipment.

### ANNOUNCE ASSIGNMENTS

Officer assignments during the week included:

Lt. Thomas W. Gurley, Jr., to group adjutant; Lt. David L. Ekberg, base personnel officer; Lt. William A. Brennan, assistant group adjutant; Warrant Officer (G) Frederick Rosener, assistant group adjutant; Warrant Officer (G) George W. Gleason, purchasing and contracting quartermaster officer; Lt. Ronald R. Stickle, rationing officer; Lt. Elmer J. Brady, clothing and equipment; Lt. Lee W. Bering, officers' mess; Lt. Alfred E. Assalino, finance officer; Lt. Irving J. Meltzer, medical supply officer; Lt. Louis Olshansky, physical instructor; Lt. Gerald F. McMahon, assistant control officer.

Enlisted men promoted were: To technical sergeant: Wayne G. Suentjens.

To staff sergeant: James N. Williams.

To corporal: Leslie N. Fuller, Merrill Warburton, Carl F. English.

Ribbons for service in various war theaters were authorized for Capt. Kenneth L. Akins and Pfc. Francis A. Rhoades.

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and  
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Customers having active charge accounts at our office may have classified advertising charged to their accounts.

## For Sale-Misc.

AIR CONDITIONING fans, blowers, ducting, forced air units, heaters, etc., new and used. 1021 So. Grand Ave., Los Angeles. Phone PROspect 1271. S44tf

1930 Model A. Motor and tires excellent. Also Powell motor scooter and lightweight man's bicycle. 572 Calle de Marcus. S44

FOR SALE—Six foot patio table and chairs. Could be used in dining room also. Phone 7366. S44

FOR SALE—Young goats, also goats' milk. Angel Springs five miles northeast on Highway 111. Box 405 Palm Springs. S41-44p

## BUTANE AND ROCK GAS TANKS FILLED

from 1000-gallon safety plant, always at your service. Only State-inspected tank in Palm Springs.

Also Coleman, Preway and American lantern and stove parts and service.

PAVNY'S TRAILER MART  
1001 S. Palm Canyon Dr.  
Phone 7342.  
Open Evenings until 8:00. S6tf

## For Rent-Furnished

ROOMS FOR RENT — Light housekeeping rooms, 180 North Indian Ave., Palm Springs. S38tf

ROOM FOR RENT—Near Hospital. Phone 7366. S44

FOR RENT—House for couple, no linens or bedding. \$65 per month for summer months. Phone 3912. Araby district. S44

FOR RENT—Air conditioned four room house. Inner spring mattresses, near stores, adults. 276 South Indian Ave., Palm Springs, Calif. S44

FOR RENT—Laguna Beach. Apt. 2 bedroom, kitchen, bath, living room. All utilities paid. June, July, Aug., and Sept., \$230. Howard J. Fulmer, Casitas Hospital, Indio, Calif. S44

## Accommodations for Men

Clean, air-conditioned rooms in center of town.

\$25 a Month

## PALM SPRINGS PLAZA

## Piano Tuning

PIANO TUNING — For reliable piano tuning and repairing write A. S. Lindholm, 946 Mt. View, San Bernardino or leave orders at Simpson's Radio Shop. Ph. 8255, Palm Springs. Next regular trip about June 15.

The 54 billion passenger-miles traveled by Americans on trains in 1942 was an all-time high.

YELLOW CABS — PHONE 4444

## New Studebakers

are available under eased priorities

## CASH PAID

for late model cars, station wagons, pick-ups. Top prices. Want good Factory trailer.

## A. J. JENNER

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## For Sale-Real Estate

FOR SALE—5 acres of almonds, full bearing, 7 shares of water. 4 room house and outbuildings 1 block from U. S. Postoffice. See owner, J. Wojcik, 292 No. Murray, Banning. S40tf

FOR SALE — Modern home, six rooms, bath, shower, near high school, insulated forced air furnace, partly furnished. 853 No. Alessandro St., Banning. S44p

Los Angeles, 100 South Larchmont Blvd. Six rooms, 1½ baths, 2-car garage, completely redecorated. Can sell furnished. Phone owner, Palm Springs 7982. S44

FOR SALE—Two houses, lot 70 by 200. Each two 3-room apartments. Modern. Showers. 145 Broadway, Cabazon. Full price. \$1600 cash, \$1800 terms. Good income. S44p

FOR SALE—Two bedroom house and five acres near Arrowhead. Creek, spring, trees, paved road. Phone 4278. S43-45p

FOR SALE — Four-room stucco, furnished and air-cooled, on leased ground in rear of Myrtle Cafe, off Indian avenue, or write Box 1255. S43-44p

FOR SALE—3 ranches in the Beaumont area. 10 a. large house and outbuildings, worth about the price of the ranch of \$8500 with terms. 20 a. improved with fine new stucco 8 room house with lovely furnishings at \$20,000 with terms. 19 a. on Banning Bench. Lovely building site. Fruit. \$5000 cash. R. S. Harrington, phone Bravely 286W or Beaumont 616. S43-44

## Help Wanted

PALM SPRINGS EMPLOYMENT AGENCY 135 E. Andreas Rd., Phone 6966. S9tf

MAID WANTED—Steady position all year. Call at Morroco Hotel.

## Wanted-Work

WANTED—Home to care for during summer months by experienced woman. Write particulars to Box 1021, Pasadena, or phone Pasadena SY 47981. S39-46p

## Wanted To Buy

WANTED—Good used car—Call 7422 evenings or Sunday or Box 1406, Palm Springs. S44p

## Lost

LOST—Four-months-old puppy, part Chow. Disappeared Monday morning. Phone 7014 after 5 p. m. Reward. Stella Rooke, El Nido Bungalows. S44

LOST—Bracelet, three opals, in Banning, Palm Springs, Indio or between points. Reward. Mrs. Don Overholser, 1154 No. Formosa, Los Angeles, Calif. S44p

LOST—Specially prescribed dark green shell-rimmed glasses in open brown leather case, Thursday morning, May 27, between 262 South Cahulla road and Greyhound depot. Liberal reward. Write B. R. Kerner, 5130 West 34th Place, Cicero, Ill. S44p

LOST—On Palm Canyon drive Saturday, sterling silver identification bracelet with name Helen S. Steven. Phone 6642. S44

## Vacation Schedule Drawn Up by City

A vacation schedule for city employees was approved by city council Wednesday night in regular session. The plan, recommended by Director of Public Works Ray Sorum and Former City Manager A. E. Bailey, provides two days vacation for each month of service with the city up to 12 months. Those in service a year or more than are granted a two-week vacation.

Councilman Philip Boyd asked whether the program contemplated the hiring of temporary employees and Mr. Sorum said it did not.

## Miscellaneous

PERMANENT WAVE, 59c. Do your own permanent with Charm-Kurl Kit. Complete equipment, including 40 curlers and shampoo. Easy to do, absolutely harmless. Praised by thousands including June Lang, glamorous movie star. Money refunded if not satisfied. On sale at the Village Pharmacy. S38-48p

## COOLER PADS AND SUPPLIES

—Renew or replace your old cooler pads now. We have a large stock on hand. Pavy's Trailer Mart, 1001 S. Palm Canyon Drive. Phone 7342. S41tf

Orchard Trailer park open all summer. Electricity, sewer, shade for every trailer. 1862 South Palm Canyon drive. S44-45p

OFFICE DESKS — and chairs, student tables, large blackboard, dining room tables, tents etc., can be seen at Pavy's Trailer Mart, 1001 S. Palm Canyon Drive, phone 7342.

BICYCLES — Orders taken for assembled bikes. No priority number required. Pratt Bros. Spt. Goods Store, 114 Fifth St., Redlands, Ph. Redlands 7675. S-tf.

KNIVES SHARPENED at Bike Shop, 256 South Palm Canyon Drive. S41-46p

## Police Have Less Trouble in May Than During April

Palm Springs was a little more peaceful in May with only 36 misdemeanor arrests reported and no felony cases.

As usual, violations of Ordinance No. 6, the "drunk" measure, topped the list with 24 persons facing Judge Guy Pinney in city court on intoxication charges. Two men were held for FBI investigation, one for drunk driving, another for vagrancy, one for violation of parole, three for liquor on the reservation and the others for scattered charges.

## IT'S A BUSY MONTH

Three juvenile cases were studied and two missing juveniles rounded up. Three other persons were reported missing by relatives.

Seven traffic citations were issued and one warning sounded. One person was injured in traffic in May.

Among the arrests listed in Chief of Police Lyle J. Sanard's report, filed with city council Wednesday, were those of ten women on drunk charges. The chief also reported that six women hurriedly departed after warnings from police.

## 87 COMPLAINTS

Seven prowlers came under attention of police in a total of 87 complaints studied during the month. Among the investigations were two assault cases, one dog-bite case, one death and five for the FBI.

One burglary and 14 petty thefts were reported and acted on by police. One automobile was stolen and promptly recovered. The record of 36 arrests was considerably lower than the year's high, set in April, when 87 persons ran afoul of the law here.

Police cars travelled 6007 miles in May.

## Free Meals for Pupils

Since 1906, children from poor homes in Great Britain have received free meals at school.

## What You Buy With WAR BONDS

Women at War today are saving for Women at Peace when the War is won. They are buying War Bonds as thrifty housewives, saving to buy those handy, convenient and necessary electrical appliances when their Bonds mature.



Women know that money saved now will help win the peace, putting their menfolk to work in our domestic factories when the war is over. They know purchase of War Bonds today will help their family and the whole country tide over the readjustment period from War to Peace.

U. S. Treasury Department

## Dr. Macartney Here Each Weekend to Conduct Services

Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Macartney are now in their summer home, high in the San Bernardino mountains, at Forest Home, but are not losing touch with the Village.

Dr. Macartney comes to Palm Springs each week end to conduct services at the Community Church.

During the summer at Forest Home there are continuous Bible conferences in session with church groups from all over southern California coming for a week of spiritual and recreational uplift amid the beauties of the mountains.

The same truck which brings one group up, takes the preceding week's assemblage back to their homes.

Outstanding religious speakers and other authorities, are heard on these programs.

A number of Palm Springs people are spending the summer at Forest Home, Dr. Macartney said.

## Mrs. Holly Visel Will Take Charge Of Church Music

At a recent meeting of the board of trustees of the Community Church, Mrs. Holly Visel of Santa Ana was elected to have charge of the church music, succeeding Mrs. Ellis Gottbehuett who expects to be absent from Palm Springs next season.

Mrs. Gottbehuett has successfully conducted the music of the church for a number of years and has always taken a vital interest in the many activities of the church.

Mr. Gottbehuett, former local teacher and realtor, is now employed at the Douglas Aircraft factory at Long Beach.

William H. Veith, local Indian agent, was elected to the board of trustees at this meeting.

## Mrs. Walter Illick Soloist at Church

Summer services at the Community church at 10:30 a. m. are showing no let up in interest or attendance.

At last Sunday morning's services, Mrs. Walter Illick was the soloist and her songs were much enjoyed by the congregation.

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Through Mrs. O'Reilly's suggestions, a number of USO services to enlisted men of the desert area have been developed and put into effect. She will be sorely missed not only by townspeople who have worked with her in community affairs but by soldiers who have met her in her capacity of director of the USO.

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PALM SPRINGS, CALIF.

Friday, June 4, 1943

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# Churches

COMMUNITY CHURCH  
Dr. J. R. Macartney, Minister  
9:15 a. m., Sunday School.  
10:30 a. m., Morning Worship.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH  
At Community Church  
10 a. m., Saturday, Sabbath school. 11 a. m., Saturday, preaching service.

CATHEDRAL CITY COMMUNITY CHURCH  
George H. Jeffery, Pastor  
9:30 a. m., Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m., Worship Service.  
Thursday at 3 p. m.—Prayer and Bible class.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE  
271 Ocotillo Ave.  
One Mile South of Plaza.  
Sundays:  
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.  
11 a. m.—Service.  
Wednesdays at 8 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES  
"God the Only Cause and Creator" is the subject of the Sunday Lesson-Sermon in all branches of The Mother Church. The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston. The Golden Text is from Ecclesiastes: "Whosoever God doeth, it shall be for ever: nothing can be put to it, nor any thing taken from it."

"Stand upright on thy feet," are the words of Paul as recorded in Acts, when he healed the "man at Lystra, impotent in his feet, who never had walked." And the passage continues, "he leaped and walked." The people who witnessed the healing sought to honor Paul and his companion, Barnabas as gods, but Barnabas and Paul "rent their clothes, and ran in among the people, crying out. . . . We also are men of like passions with you, and preach unto you that ye should turn from these vanities unto the living God, which made heaven, and earth, and the sea, and all things that are therein."

Mary Baker Eddy writes in "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures": "Inasmuch as God is good and the fount of all being, He does not produce moral or physical deformity; therefore such deformity is not real, but is illusion, the mirage of error. Divine Science reveals these grand facts."

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EPISCOPAL CHURCH  
St. Paul's in the Desert  
125 West El Alameda. Phone 8988  
Study Hours, 8-12 noon  
The Rev. Robert M. Hogarth  
Carey Ranch. Phone 4271  
SUNDAYS  
7:30 a. m., Holy Communion.  
9:00 a. m., Service and Sermon.  
Sunday School same hour.

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## Dog-Gone! If the Dog Hadn't Gone All Would Have Been Well; Lady Can't Ride

Imagine the surprise of Joe Henderson of the Palm Springs Bowling academy when his mother calmly told him the other morning: "You'll have to get out your car and go to Pomona to get your father and the lady. They're stranded there."

"Pop marooned in Pomona with a lady? How come?" asked the son.

But it was all right. The lady was "Lady," Charley Henderson's pet dog. But she caused just as much grief as some of her sex usually do.

### LADY WENT ALONG

It seems that Mr. Henderson had gone to Los Angeles that day on business and for once, decided to take Lady with him. All went well until on the return trip when trouble developed in the Henderson auto which stalled the car at Pomona.

After seeing it safely in a garage for repairs, Mr. Henderson and Lady sallied forth blithely to the bus station to come back to Palm Springs.

But things soon became very un-blithe.

### NO BUS FOR LADY

It seems that the bus company had a strict ban on dogs riding in their vehicles. Nothing doing. Mr. Henderson had a bleak vision of cars disdainfully zipping by should he essay the thumbing act accompanied by Lady.

So came the long distance call to the Village, and soon the son, reassured that the lady was just "Lady," was bowling along the road to Pomona to the rescue.

Anyway, Lady enjoyed the trip and the excitement.

### New Flag Pole Goes In Service at TGH

A new flag-pole, 20 feet taller than the old one, and in a more prominent spot before the Torney General Hospital, was put in service this week.

It stands in the square across Indian avenue from the main hospital entrance and reaches upward 60 feet.

From it now fly Old Glory and the Minute Man flag recently won by the hospital staff for their all-out effort to buy war bonds.

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## On This Side...

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America. . . . But it was almost a century and a half later before an air jaunt between America and Paris. That one was in the other direction. By the way, what has become of Lindbergh?

**MARKETING**—What chance has a mere man got in a busy market these days? An Indio editor complains that while he was standing in line behind a woman at a checker's stand while she unloaded huge quantities of groceries, two other women, with equally loaded baskets, came up gaily. They giggled happily because the woman in line was a friend. They gave her their baskets and insisted the checker make separate slips and charges—while the editor frothed. It may have been smart but it was rude, too. . . . Frank Partridge, local lens artist, says he is what is known at a "photo-gopher." "I'm always in the hole," he explained.

**BELLIGERENT**—To most of us who hold the opinion that America is a peaceful nation, a glance at military history will come as a shock. The United States has had a major war on its hands almost every generation since it became a nation. The longest period of peace from a major conflict has been 32 years—between the end of the Civil War and the outbreak of the war with Spain. . . . That just takes in the Big Wars. There are few years in the nation's history that it wasn't burning powder some place in uprisings or minor clashes. . . . These figures were brought to mind by a prominent military man, stationed here, who said the nation was a lot better prepared for this war than last but because it has averaged three wars to a century it should be fully prepared the next time.

**HIT TUNES**—One of the current popular numbers is "It Seems to Me I've Heard That Song Before." Well, it seems to me that that could be said about almost any of the current hits. They all are strangely reminiscent of old time favorites. . . . The musician member of the family says that the present top tune in the nation: "Don't Get Around Much Anymore" which topped the Hit Parade last Saturday is an oldie. In 1938 Duke Ellington wrote a tune called, without benefit of grammar: "Never No Lament." He cut a record of it with a small combination band but the disk kicked around without much sale except to jive musicians who played it and drooled. Then someone hung words on it and it began to be played around. In a few weeks it reached the top of the Hit Parade.

**THIS AND THAT**—A personnel manager for a large manufacturing concern says that women war workers are more frivolous than men and take advantage of a supervisor more often and yet have proven more efficient and in some cases, more productive, than men. . . . A Pittsburgh bus line has this sign in its vehicles: "Please do not offer the lady your seat. If she can work on the assembly line, she can stand on her feet." Equal rights for men, at last. . . . In an eastern war plant, Miss Jennie O'Neil, 80, works the swing shift. She's buying lots of bonds but is leaving them to the children of her young co-workers. "I'm afraid I won't be on this world when they mature," she says. . . . And hang on to your helpmeet. The census bureau says the death rate among divorced persons over 55 is on-third great-

## Keyes Pleads Not Guilty, Will Face Hearing on July 6

William Keyes, desert rancher accused of the murder of Worth Bagley, former Los Angeles peace officer, on May 11, was arraigned in superior court at Riverside yesterday and entered a plea of not guilty.

The case was set for trial July 6 by Judge George R. Freeman who will preside.

Keyes alleges that Bagley fired at him and that he shot in self defense.

After the hearing, Keyes was permitted to go to his ranch in the Twenty-nine Palms district to look after his cattle which he claimed might starve to death because he could get no help. He went there in custody of Sheriff Carl Rayburn.

The shooting climaxed a long feud between the two men who have adjoining ranches along the Riverside-San Bernardino county line.

## Action Authorized To Eliminate Pool On E. Arenas Road

City council Wednesday night authorized City Engineer J. F. Davidson to prepare plans, specifications and estimates for the construction of a curb and gutter on the south side of Arenas road from Palm Canyon drive to Indian avenue to provide an adequate drain to eliminate standing water there which is now termed a health menace.

The project is the first step in a program designed to eliminate the pond which forms at the intersection of Arenas road and Palm Canyon drive, a low spot where water accumulates from several blocks north.

It was the formation of this pond which prompted the recent passage of the anti - sidewalk washing ordinance, now in dispute.

The matter was brought before the council by Director of Public Works Ray Sorum who had held several conferences with Mr. Davidson. The latter, Sorum reported, was confident the state would aid in the project.

When steps to eliminate the formation of this stagnant pool at the intersection are completed, a modification of the ban on washing sidewalks by water under pressure is expected. Merchants north of the intersection claimed that washing of sidewalks was the only way in which they could be cleaned.

er than among those still happily, or otherwise, wed.

**GOSSIP**—The war department has a new worry. It's that tendency almost universally prevalent in people to believe what happened to them shouldn't have happened to a dog (or Hirohito, take your choice) and that almost universal urge to tell people about it. So the war department asks the citizenry to take with a grain of salt, the stories some soldiers, honorably discharged after hospitalization for wounds, tell. Some of the "horror" stories are attributed to that other universal trait—the desire to loom as heroes. . . . Practically all of the yarns, says an officer, are too tall. . . . I know a sloppy dresser who once buttoned his shirt wrong and complained all day about the manufacturer who put one button hole too many at the top and one button too many at the bottom on the other side.

**AND FINALLY**—Won't it be fun when the WAACS start thumbing rides, says a Villager who has to make frequent journeys to Los Angeles and always carries a full complement of soldiers.



(Frank Partridge Photo)

**OFFERS POOL**—Councilman Frank Cutler who has offered the city use of his pool for a summer civilian recreation project

## Cutler Pool...

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clude certain hours for children of different ages and according to race.

In regard to the experimental nature of the offer, Councilman Cutler said that the Home Owners association has been averse to allowing private pools be used publicly because of the damage that is associated with such use.

He believes that proper supervision will eliminate this possibility.

### TRIAL APPROVED

Council approved trial of the experiment for one month subject to study by City Attorney Roy W. Colegate on the city's liability. If it is found that the project is not being used by the public or that the property is being damaged, the experiment will end.

The plan is primarily designed as a civilian recreation project, soldiers and officers already having pools for their use. But they may use this one, too, at designated hours.

A schedule for use of the pool is being mapped by the commission this week and will be outlined in the press next week.

### TO OPEN JUNE 12

It is planned to open the pool to the public on June 12 and to operate it six days a week, 12 hours a day, until Sept. 12, one day before school re-opens.

An adequate supervisor has been found but until negotiations are completed, his identity was not revealed.

## Don't Wait...

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the co-operation we can get to maintain an efficient service."

Truck operators were included in the appeal. It was indicated that truck operators would do well to start making application for their third quarter supplies now, by bringing in their ODT certificates and signing up for the same.

### ASK CO-OPERATION

"We ask the co-operation and indulgence of the public in order to bring about the best service possible," the board chairman said.

Motorists were reminded that when they come in for renewal of their rationing certificates with them.

Because of the loss of many of the volunteer workers, an appeal was also sounded to any Palm Springs citizens who can spare the time, to aid in the work of the rationing board.

Desire is prayer; and no loss can occur from trusting God with our desires, that they may be moulded and exalted before they take form in words and in deeds. —Mary Baker Eddy.

## Mrs. Rainger Wins \$77,637 Damages From Airline Firm

Mrs. Elizabeth Rainger, widow of the noted composer who was one of 12 persons killed when an American Airlines plane crashed on the side of the mountains northwest of Palm Springs after a mid-air collision with an army plane last October 23, was awarded \$77,637.33 by a jury which heard her damage suit against the airline company. She had asked \$227,637 for herself and three children, Douglas, Constance and Susan.

The jury was out less than two hours in reaching its decision that the air line was responsible for the crash.

Air line officials denied responsibility during the trial and blamed the crash on Lt. William M. Wilson, pilot of the army bomber which collided with the air liner over the pass near here. Wilson was acquitted at an army court martial.

## Riverside County Is Named in 48-Hour Area

Southern California's area war manpower committee last week recommended that 11 Southern California counties including Riverside be placed on a mandatory 48-hour week and Regional Director William K. Hopkins in Los Angeles made it known that he would approve the recommendation.

The committee in making the recommendation asked that the counties remain in the group two labor classification. Group two areas are those in which shortages of labor are anticipated but which can still accommodate war production work that will be completed within six months.

The area is defined as all counties in Southern California except San Diego, which previously had been placed in group one, signifying a critical labor shortage, under a 48-hour week.

Counties included in the area are Riverside, Ventura, Los Angeles, Orange, San Bernardino, Imperial, Inyo, Mono and parts of Santa Barbara and Kern counties.

H. R. Harnish, area WMC director who announced the committee's action, said the recommendation followed a thorough study of the current labor market and labor needs of war industries in Southern California.

"It is estimated that the 48-hour week in Los Angeles county alone will provide additional man hours equivalent to a labor force of 30,000 to 35,000 new men and women workers."

"The committee and the director recognize that further drains must be made on the existing labor supply by selective service. Under the 40-hour week this would mean a new worker would be needed to replace each man called to arms."

## New Method Speeds Delivery Of U. S. Mail

The new method of speeding up mail deliveries, through addition of a branch post office number to the address on mail for delivery in large cities, is being placed in operation rapidly. Reports from many cities indicate that it has been received enthusiastically by the press, postmasters, business concerns and the public.

Within a few days after initiation of the plan, under instructions of Postmaster General Frank C. Walker, nearly all the postmasters in the large cities affected had assigned postal unit numbers to their branch offices, millions of residents had been advised of the number to be added to their addresses, and a considerable volume of mail already was carrying the numbers assigned. By June 1, it is expected that practically all whose addresses are affected will have been notified of their postal unit numbers.

Rapid increase in volume of mail and the loss of some thirty thousand postal employees to the armed forces made it necessary to adopt the plan, in the interest of accurate, efficient mail service and for the relief of postal personnel who are carrying an extremely heavy burden of work.

### TOO LATE TOO CLASSIFY

Officer's Wife driving to Cincinnati, Ohio. Will take one, or would like to have some one follow on trip. Phone 2611 or address letter Box T, c-o Banning Record. S44p

## 60 Bathing Trunks Provided for Men At TGH by Lions

Patients at Torney General hospital will no longer be on the outside looking in to the swimming pool because of a lack of bathing trunks. A gift of 60 suits was made to the hospital by the Lions club of Palm Springs. The suits will be used by patients who are not able to supply their own and so otherwise would miss the opportunity of using the pool. Lloyd Simon headed the committee that made the presentation possible. The arrangements were made through the camp and hospital Service committee of the Palm Springs branch, Red Cross.

Mrs. N. O. Turner will leave the Village this week for San Francisco to join her husband there. Mr. and Mrs. Turner will return to Palm Springs next fall to spend the season here.

### Hm-m!

Clerk: "May I have the afternoon off to go shopping with my wife?"

Boss: "Certainly not."  
Clerk: "Thank you very much."  
—Atlanta Two Bells.

## Property Damage Is Heavy in Fire Sweeping Duplex

Damage was heavy in a fire which roared up the partition in a duplex house at 523 Calle Santa Rosa and spread rapidly under the roof and to the two apartments. Wednesday at 11:20 a. m. Firemen, under direction of Chief Bill Leonesio, fought the blaze for more than an hour and a half.

The smoke was so thick that the firemen had to crawl in, almost prone, to get water on to the flames.

The house is the property of David S. Carothers and one half was occupied by Sgt. Frank P. Williams and the other by Sgt. Burt O. Randall.

Smoke and water damage to the furniture and clothing of both families was heavy, it was reported.

Cause of the blaze was undetermined.

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